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Quarterback Doug Williams, who threw four touchdown passes, was all smiles after Washington routed Denver, 42-10, in the National Football League Super Bowl. Page 15.

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# Shiites Issue Threat to Israel

BEIRUT (WP) --- An Iranian-backed Shiite Moslem guerrilla group threatened. Monday to kill an Israeli soldier captured in southern Lebadon two years ago inless is-rael puts an end to "brutal practices" against Palestinians n the occupied territories.

The Shiite group, the Islam-ic Resistance, said in a statement, "An israeli soldier taken prisoner by us is now in extreme danger and may meet his black fate if the criminal Zionists do not put a halt to their brutal practices against our Moslem people in occuned Palestin

Two Israeli soldiers were captured in southern Lebanon by pro-Iranian guerrillas on Feb. 16, 1986. **Prospects of Foreign Interest** In U.S. Bonds Boost Dollar on Monday because of expecta- tion of how well the auctions will

tions that foreign buyers would do in drawing some foreign invest-make healthy purchases of U.S. ment is propelling the dollar." government debt at this week's The auction is the Treasury's res-Treasury auction, dealers said. In New York, the dollar closed at 1.6925 Deutsche marks, slightly off

the day's high of 1,6928, but up more than a pfennig from 1.6815 at Friday's close.

Against the Japanese yen, the Dealers said that although the dollar opened at 129.33, above its settlement date for the securities is 

By Reginald Dale

LONDON -- In a country pub deep in West Sussex, a middle-class

family casually discusses whether

to buy a vacation home in Turkey

or northern Portugal. Two other

pub customers can be heard com-plaining about "having" to drive BMWs as their office cars.

lages, people look smarter and bet-

ter dressed than a few years ago.

New stores, restaurants and wine

At least in southern England

these days, affluence is both audi-

The strong economic recovery of

the past five years, presided over by Margaret Thatcher's Conservative

government, has undeniably

brought new prosperity to wide sections of the population.

It has also, in the government's

eyes, unleashed a new spirit of en-

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1.3700. The dollar also made gains against the British pound, which closed at \$1.7575, against \$1.7660 t **\$1.7**575, are just try

Returns porate foreign exchange trader of in the dollar would be counterpro-NEW YORK — The dollar rose Bank of Montreal, "The anticipa-ductive,

Meanwhile, the U.S. trade representative, Clayton K. Yeutter, said exchange rates were at the right The auction is the Treasury's reglevels to make U.S. companies competitive overseas.

nlar quarterly refunding, its main tool for funding U.S. government expenditure through the sale of "The dollar was pushed up first those comments," one dealer short-, medium- and long-term government-guaranteed debt.

Dealers said that although the the way. In London, where trading ends

in the middle of New York's day, "Why wait?" said one dealer. the dollar rose to close at 1.6910 "The feeling must be that sometime DM, well above Friday's close of the initiatives have been facili-between now and the 16th the dol- 1.6765 DM. Against the yen, the lars will have to be bought. People dollar finished higher at 129.30, creased political tolerance in Hun-are just trying to get in before de- compared with Friday's 127.80.

The various activities, which led to the arrest of more than a dozen protesters in Warsaw, marked the first time that East bloc dissidents in several countries have organized simultaneous demonstrations. The actions also underlined the growing

Commenting on Monday's rise, a British bank dealer said, "The dollar should stay up there for now, at least until the auctions are out of During the past 18 months, orga-Communist rule and environmen-tal protection have begun contact-

ing each other and organizing activities.

compared with Friday's 127.80. gary and Poland as well as by In London, the pound elosed at greater opportunities for interna-\$1.7580, down from \$1.7695 on uonal telephone communication and travel in most Warsaw Pact countries. Key organizers of the joint acbanks raised their base lending uons say the development of Mik-rates to 9.0 percent from 8.5 per-hail S. Gorbachev's leadership in cent. The British currency had the Soviet Union has given East See PROTESTS, Page 6

tional income since 1979, when

The North-South divide is as

mneh political as economic. In last

June's general election, only two Labor candidates were elected to

Parliament from the South, if one

excludes the Greater London area.

## **Dissidents in Eastern Europe** Peace Bid **Protest Romanian Repression** Is Floated By U.S. By Jackson Diehl

Washington Post Service WARSAW - Dissident activists in Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Po-land and the Soviet Unioo staged demonstrations and issued statements Monday protesting repres-sico in Romania in an unprece-dented instance of coordination among Warsaw Pact opposition

In Budapest and Warsaw, bundreds of demonstrators gathered outside the Romanian Embassy in midday rallies, while in Prague midday rames, while in right about 60 people staged a 24-hour hunger strike. Activists in the three capitals switched off lights in their apartments in a symbolic protest of the drastic economic austerity suffered by Romanians. The protest actions were su

ported in a statement by Andrei D. Sakharov, the Soviet buman rights activist. The statement was endorsed by four other noted Soviet dissidents: Raisa Gogaroz, Sergei Kovalev, Naum Neiman and Lev

Timofeyev. The East European groups also issued statements and Polish activ-ists unsuccessfully attempted to de-liver a petition to Romanian Embassy officials.

in a statement addressed to Romanians, 49 Polish activists, inmanians, 49 Point activities, in-eluding leaders of the outlawed Solidarity trade union, said they knew "the enormous price you must pay for fighting for the right to human dignity and the right to live free of hunger and terror," and added: "We believe deeply that our thursd dream for a free and demo-

POLISH PRICES RISE - In a Warsaw market, Poles wait to buy dairy products as price increases averaging 27 percent took. effect Monday and the government devalued the zloty. Solidarity, the outlawed trade union, said it would not call for protests. Page 2.

# Angola, in Treaty Bid, Accepts Cuban Pullout

By David B. Ottaway State Department spokesman, Washington Post Service Charles E. Redman, said.

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wASHINGTON — Angola, "Cuban officials conducted in with the approval of Cuba, has this decision," he added. agreed for the first time to a com-plete withdrawal of the 40,000 Cu-ban troops stationed there in the Risquet, had joined the Angolan context of what may become an delegation "briefly for exclanges context of what may become an delegation "briefly for exchanges overall southern Africa settlement, relating to Cuban troops withdraw-



By John Kifner

New York Times Service JERUSALEM - The United States is floating a new Middle East peace initiative that calls for elections of Palestinian leaders in the Israeli-occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip soon, U.S. and Israeli officials said Monday.

As outlined by a Reagan admin-istration official, the elected Pales-tinian leadership would then have a limited governing autonomy in the West Bank and Gaza, to be followed by peace talks within a year. The Israeli prime minister, Yitzhak Shamir, speaking on Israeli television on Sunday, said, "Israel is ready to negotiate about this is-sue." By Monday, however, Mr. Shamir was under intense criticism and pressure from other leaders of

his right-wing Likud bloc. Even as talk circulated of the peace initiative, Palestinian pro-tests, which have picked up in intensity over the last few days, flared throughout the West Bank, Two more Palestinians were shot and killed on Monday, raising the death toll in the nearly two months of unrest to at least 40.

By Monday afternoon, the army had put seven refugee districts and Nablus, the largest West Bank city, under curfew, meaning no one could venture outdoors.

The two Palestinian youths were shot and killed — the first protest-ers killed since Jan. 15 — after rock-throwing protesters surround-ed a bus filled with Israeli soldiers and several cars believed to be carrying Israeli settlers outside the West Bank village of Anabta.

The weeks of violence - and the harm to Israel's image abroad appears to have spawned a U.S. plan markedly different than the international conference advocated by Israel's foreign minister, Shimon Peres.

But Middle East analysts said the new proposal seemed to contain potentially serious problems. Any election in the occupied terri tories, for example, would almost certainly return representatives af-filiated with the Palestine Liberation Organization, some of them bome-grown leaders of the two months of protest that Palestinians are calling "the uprising." Such leaders would push aside the traditionally recognized figures, some-thing that would be difficult for

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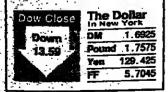
Georgi M. Malenkov, who served briefly as Soviet prime minister after the death of Stalin in 1953, has died at 86. Page 2.

### General News

sident Manno Koivisto fell Pre just short of outright victory in Finnish elections. Page 6.

### Arts/Leisure

Rouald Rengan's brown suits ion designers. Page 7.



on Friday. mand picks up." Currency traders said good de-Dealers said the dollar had also mand was expected from foreign

gained support from statements by U.S. government officials over the But th buyers at the auctions Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of \$27 weekend. billion in U.S. Treasury bills and In Davos, Switzerland, the assis-

ly uneven.

In central London, as in sur-rounding country towns and vil- can who has lived in England for 15

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Philipsborn, a vice president of the

Second of two articles

ably the worst anywhere."

gap" between poor Northerners and rich Southerners has passed

into the current coinage of British

politics. But it is not as clear-cut as many Southerners, who rarely trav-

el North, appear to believe. Dave Robertson, a Scot who

works for the Fabian Society, a

think tank associated with the La-

bor Party, says that there are prob-

ably as many "yuppies," or young

bonds. "I'd say the news that really tant Treasury secretary for interna-helped was the strength in the cred- tional affairs, David C. Mulford, it market," said Tom Benfer, cor- said Saturday that a further decline

But the pound got some support late in the day after leading British

'New Britain' Is a Land of Great Divides

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that the recovery has been extreme- urhan professionals, in newly progressively larger share of na-

"The average temperature may London, in proportion to total Mrs. Thatcher took office, and the be O.K., but plenty of people have population. "But overall jobless rates remain have their feet on ice," said John D. as high as 12 to 13 percent in Scot-fice said.

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a national average of 9.5 percent, according to government figures published in December. The rates

decline gradually as one moves southward, reaching their lowest

evel, 6.6 percent, in southeast En-

booming Glasgow as there are in

Monday. The agreement, which came dur-

U.S. State De their approval to a total withdrawal at that time.

The reported Angolan-Cuban ing talks with Chester A. Crocker, offer of a total Cuban troop withassistant secretary of state for Afridrawal comes against the backdrop of recent heavy lighting in southern Angola between the Soviet- and Cuban-backed Angolan Army and U.S.-armed and South Africancan affairs, in Luanda last week, is being regarded within the Reagan administration as an important potenual breakthrough in the long-stalled, U.S.-led negotiations with Angola and South Africa, supported guerrillas led by Jonas Savimbi's National Union for the

The talks have been aimed at Total Independence of Angola. arranging for the simultaneous In December, Cuba sent addiwithdrawal of Cuban troops from tional and better-trained troops to help the Angolan Army. There have been reports that Cuban pi-lots were flying combat missions against UNITA rebels and South Angola and a similar pullout of South African forces, as well as independent elections in neighboring Namibia, which South Africa administers. African units in southern Angola.

Involved in Mr. Crocker's latest The reported Cuban commit-round of talks with the Angolan ment to withdraw all troops within authorities, also for the first time, the context of an overall settlement was a high-ranking Cuban official, appears to signal a shift in Cuhan Jorge Risquet, a member of the policy. The Cuban leader, Fidel Politburo. The United States has Castro, earlier had threatened to no diplomatic relations with Ango- keep his troops in Angola until la and only limited relations with there was an end to apartheid in Cuba, making the Crocker-Risquet South Africa. meeting a rare case of a high-level Mr. Redman said that the Unit-

U.S.-Cuban contact. ed States now awaits word from "The Angolan delegation for the Angolan officials on "specific

first time affirmed its acceptance of ways" to close the gap on a Cuban the necessity of the withdrawal of withdrawal schedule between that all Cuban troops from Angola in put forth earlier by Angola and a the context of a settlement," the compromise U.S. proposal.

both Israel and Jordan. Also among the immediate polit-ical problems are the bitter elecuon-year rivalries between the Likud bloc and the Labor Party and their leaders, Mr. Shamir and Mr. Peres.

The initiative would have to cover the two key points that have blocked previous efforts: the composition of the Palestinian representatives and the form of a peace conference.

Mr. Peres described the new plan on Monday on the army radio, saying. "They're talking about an independent government for the resi-dents of the territories."

The U.S. proposal, it was understood, has been the subject of discussions among various traveling envoys, most notably, in a meeting in Amman over the weekend be-

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### "We have to face the fact that the While Southern cities like Bristol gland. Meanwhile, a recent government are thriving, some once mighty See BRITAIN, Page 13 study shows that a postwar trend Northern industrial towns look "blitzed out," Mr. Philipsborn said. And if some British industries are toward greater equality of incomes Britain's leading banks raise base leading rates half a point. Page 9. has been reversed under Mrs. "super-efficient," others are "prob-Thatcher. The rich have gained a The existence of a "North-South





In Osaka's Ikuno ward, a shop specializes in creating traditional Korean dresses.

By Susan Chira New York Tunes Service OSAKA, Japan - The narrow

neignoornood. But here and there, telltale signs appear — a sticker on a door with a tiny Korean flag, bolts of brightly colored Korean silk hanging in a shop window, posters of red-cheeked girls in Ko-rean traditional dress, the kimchi pots of spicy pickled cabbage on display in the central market display in the central market.

traditions.

Unlike the United States, Japan has no history of absorbing immitempt.

came to Japan 53 years ago at the wanted to become Japanese. age of 18. "Japanese government culture.

Most Koreans in Japan original-

ly were forced to come when Japan ruled Korea from 1910 to 1945. Many came as virtual slaves, digstreets and small wooden homes ging canals or mining coal. Korelook at first like any other Japanese ans were then considered Japanese neighborhood. But here and there, citizens. After World War II, Ko-

the nearly 700,000 Koreans in Ja-This is Ikuno, the ward that is the pan, only 5,110 became citizens last largest Korean neighborhood in Ja-pan — in Japan, yet forever outside ans who became Japanese citizens Japan. In a society that prides itself had to take Japanese names. Kore-on its cultural and racial bomoge- ans in Japan still say that naturalneity, there is no room for another ization means pressure to renounce ethnic group with its own distinct their Korean past and submerze themselves in a Japanese present.

Applicants for citizenship must pass an interview, and officials ofgrants, allowing them to embrace a ten visit their homes. On such visnew cultural identity without relin- its, Mr. Bae said, officials may quishing the old. Koreans in Japan check to see whether the family continue to remain apart, victims speaks Japanese at home or whethof discrimination in jobs, loans and er the children attend Japanese or housing, subject to taunts and con- Korean schools. One of her friends, she said, had a Korean doll dis-

"You have to be very strong played in the home. The inspector willed to live as a Korean in this told her to put it away, saying she country," said Bae Soon Hee, who

Koreans who are not citizens and society demands that we throw face more overt discrimination in away our traditions and cultural schools and when they look for traits and dissolve into Japanese jobs. Choi Sang Sook, the daughter

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# Meese Denies Report of Wrongdoing Says His 'Limited' Action on Iraqi Pipeline Was 'Lawful'

part in connection with possible words in one of two long docu-payoffs to a top Israeli official to ments that he provided to me." allow an Iraci oil pipeline to be built without israeli interference. In a long statement read to re- roomed into importance," he conporters at the Justice Department, tinued, adding, "but I did not get Mr. Meese said he had had only a the impression of illegality whatsoslight role in the affair.

He said he was convinced that "a thorough inquiry in a professional manner will inevitably result in a conclusion favorable to me." He declined to answer questions. A close friend of Mr. Mccse, E. Robert Wallach, had a financial

interest in the Iraqi project and sent the attorney general a memo citing a plan to pay off a top Israeli official in return for a guarantee that Israel would not destroy the prosecutor, James C. McKay, ligation have confirmed. The tact with the pipeline project was sources spoke on condition they not be identified.

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The Associated Press. "I can tell you," Mr. Meese said, speaking out to counter "misinfor-WASHINGTON — Attorney "that the language in Mr. Wallach's General Edwin Meese 3d denied memorandum that has given rise to truths, innuendoes and misunder-Monday any wrongdoing on his this speculation consists of 10 standing of the law" that he said

"I do not recall having read the specific words that have now mush-EVEL.

He said the Wallach memo contained no reference to bribes or payoffs. He said his only role was, the Overseas Private Investment Corp., a government agency, for an and brief," he said, and neither had opinion, and to refer the matter to

the National Security Council. Mr. Meese said he was confident an investigation by the special would show "that my limited contotally lawful."

had appeared in the press.

Ronald Reagan's spokesman, Marlin Fitzwater, said earlier that the president had not spoken with Mr. Meese about the criminal investigation into the pipeline because it is "not appropriate" to interfere with

upon receiving the memo, to ask self and officials of the Israeli government. They were both "limited

In an article in The New York Times on Monday, an unidentified source was quoted as saying that Mr. Meese wrote a letter in 1985 to Shimon Peres, who was then Israel's prime minister, after Mr. Peres had written him expressing support The attorney general said he was for construction of the pipeline.

Here and the state

At the White House, President

Mr. McKay's investigation. Mr. Meese said there had been two communications between him-

been initiated by him.

# Smoking Out a Villain in Lodz

## Frustrated Soot Chaser Finds His Tactics Are Unsuitable

By John Tagliabue

New York Times Service trolled by the national government LODZ, Poland — The Detta repeated them, telling the world knitwear factory would simply be that Poland was getting rough closed down, the article said, because environmental officials were tired of waiting for the company's itself in television interviews, but management to put in chimney filters that stop soot.

years for such a decision, the news-paper article in Dziennik Lodzki peared to leave little room for went on, but the managers "kept ignoring the deadlines."

It all appeared to be a bright victory for the cause of clean air in Lodz, a textile town where the air at this time of year hangs like a gray felt blanket.

But recently, as misty rain settled over the city's red brick mills, the Delta chimney, looking for all the world like some buge cigar, belched thick, yellow-brown smoke.

The problem, explained Jan Diehl, who heads the municipal environmental authority, was simple. "I issued my decision Jan 5," he said. "But I have no right to execute it, and management's rights include an appeal" to the environmental minister in Warsaw

So, what appeared to be a clearcut victory for health and bygiene turned into a blueprint for the kind of entanglement between Commu-nist Party authorities, business management and local press that causes the bounds of competence and responsibility to blur.

articles, and the press agency con- nents of the smokestack, explained wearily that management could not have installed the chimney filters

Delta's management defended one picture of the 150-foot (46-Lodz residents had waited for a heating plant that supplies steam doubt about the seriousness of the problem.

The plant burns lignite, a variety of coal that is rich in sulfur, creating an acute pollution problem in Lodz, a highly industrialized city of

900,000 people. Mr. Diehl appeared as a knight in shining armor in the accounts of the decision in get tough. Complaints about the chimney,

which has stood since well before World War IL started about 11 years ago, when the politically powerful Association of Polisb Cooperaoves decided to build a 10story office building across from the smokestack. When employees of the cooperative open their windows wide, they get a desk full of

Even more important, the fac-tory lies several hundred yards from the Polisb Army medical academy, which trains doctors for the elite military hospitals that treat Communist Party functionar-

Stefan Samborski, deputy direc-The Lodz paper published the tor of Delta and the villain to oppo- been liquidated."

even if it had wanted to. "Four, five years ago we installed cyclones to clean the smoke," he said. "In the first period, the cyclones functioned well. But they do not eliminate the sulfur. But the means are not at our disposal to resolve the problem." That, he explained, is because Poland does not produce the scrub-

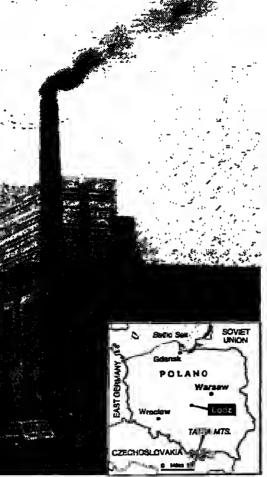
bers the chimney needs, and the only ones available are made by a West German-Brazilian company that sells them for convertible Western currency.

Convertible currency purchases for any equipment can only be made through a central ministry in Warsaw. Delta bas repeatedly requested such purchases. Mr. Sam-borski said, but the ministry has responded that because Poland is so heavily indebted, it does not have the required cash. So now, he said, Delta has come

up with an alternate plan and hopes to merge the finishing operauon with that of another company, Bistona, whose chimneys have scrubber

Mr. Diehl said there have been dramatic improvements in cleaning up the air over Lodz in the last 15 years, particularly in bringing dust and sulfur dioxide under control. "Lodz was once proud to be called the city of smokestacks," he

said. "But over 200 of them have



At the Delta factory in Lodz, a chimney belches dark smoke.

# **Prices Rise** As Currency Is Devalued In Poland

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches WARSAW - Poland put into WARSAW — Potand put into effect an austerity program on Monday that increases food prices by an average of 40 percent, and Solidarity, the outlawed trade union, said it would not call for large-scale protests. Solidarity did say, however, that

it would support local demonstra-dons against the price increases. There were no immediate reports

of work stoppages. A Solidarity spokesman, Fran-ciszek Ciemny, acknowledged that the price increases were "unpopu-lar" but said workers would realize they were necessary "to help put right the economy.

In another indication of economic decline, the government on Mon-day quietly devalued the zloty, Poland's currency, by 15.8 percent against the U.S. dollar. The new rate of 380 zlotys to the

dollar was published in newspapers without the usual government an-nouncement. National bank officials were not available for com-

ment The currency black market in

Warsaw also devalued the zloty by 18.75 percent, street dealers said, from 1,300 to 1,600 to the dollar.

When stores opened Monday, Poles found that the prices for basie loods and cigarettes had increased by an average of 40 percent and prices for alcohol by 46 per-

Other increases ranged from 50 percent to 100 percent for gasoline,

diesel fuel and services. The increases averaged 27 percent, but food rose 40 percent, gas-oline 60 percent, diesel fuel 100

percent and low-income rents 50 percent.

There were oo signs of public unrest as the new prices took effect despite two anti-government pro-tests Sunday in Warsaw and the northern port of Gdansk.

Opposition sources said workers in five major factories in the induscommittees but had not called for chemical weapons.

Previous price rises have sparked upheavals that overthrew Communist governments in 1970 and 1980

However, the authorities cushioned the increases Monday with pay raises. They ignored a weekend call by Solidarity to cancel the price increases, the biggest since the Po-lish leader, General Wojciech Januzelski, doubled the cost of food in February 1982

ty's national spokesman, said the compensatioo for the price increases.

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### Shevardnadze and Shultz Set to Meet

MOSCOW (AP) - Foreign Minister Edward A. Shevardnadze and the MUSCUW (AP) — Forcign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnauze and the U.S. secretary of state, George P. Shultz, are to meet in Moscow on Feb. 21-23 in prepare for n fourth summit meeting between President Ronald Reagan and Mikhail S. Gorbachev, the Soviet leader, and help draft a treaty on strategic weapons cots, Tass said Monday. Mr. Shevardnadze and Mr. Shultz met several times in 1987 to set up the December meeting. Washington Mr. Benson and Mr.

the December meeting in Washington between Mr. Reagan and Mr. Gorbachev. At that summit meeting, the two leaders signed a treaty to ban intermediate-range nuclear missiles.

Mr. Reagan and Mr. Gorbachev agreed to meet for a fourth time in Moscow during the first half of 1988, and said they would seek an accord to cut both sides' long-range nuclear weapons by 50 percent.

## Cubans on 3-Day Fast Over Rights

HAVANA (Renters) - About 20 Cuban human rights campaigners are on a three-day hunger strike, begun to coincide with a United Nations

A leader of the rights meeting in Geneva. A leader of the rights campaigners, Ricardo Bofill, said a second bunger strike might be called during the UN meetings, which are to last until March 11. The United States is expected to present to the UN Human Rights Commission a resolution condemning reported violations in Cuba

The announcement on Sunday of the hunger strike was made at a news conference at which 18 former prisoners and relatives of immates told of rights abuses. Cuba does not recognize the Bofill group and will not comment on human rights reports. Most of the former prisoners told of torture and disappearances inside Cuban jails, solitary confinement in tiny cells, and lack of clothing, beds, water and electricity.

### A Mortar Bomb Kills 5 in Pakistan

PESHAWAR, Pakistan (AP) - A mortar bomb rigged with a timing device exploded in a produce market Monday, killing five persons and

wounding 23, officials said. Dr. Sher Bahadar of Lady Reading Hospital in Peshawar, 25 miles (40 kilometers) from the Afghan border, said that three of the dead were Afghans and that the other two were Pakistanis. Major Ghulam Hussein of the Peshawar police said the mortar device,

hidden in a crate of tomatoes, went off in the late morning as the Sabzi Mandi bazaar was crowded with fruit and vegetable vendors and their customers. No group immediately took responsibility, but Pakistani officials have said a wave of terrorist bombings in the last year were the work of agents of the Kabul government.

### U.S. and Shell Set Chemical Cleanup

WASHINGTON (AP) - The U.S. Anny and Shell Oil Co. are to pay up to \$1 billion to mop up chemical weapons waste and other dangerous substances at the Rocky Mountain Arsenal near Denver in what would be the most costly hazardous-waste cleanup in history, the Justice Department said Monday.

The agreement comes in a proposed consent decree calling for the cleanup by the year 2000 of a 27-square-mile (70-square-kilometer) tract owned by the army. The decree would settle a lawsuit the government filed four years ago against Shell. Shell produced and handled pesticides, herbicides and other chemicals

on the property, which was leased from the army. In 1985, Shell admitted that it had produced some contamination. At the same time, the army trial city of Wroclaw had formed that it had produced some contamination. At the same time, the army elandestine pro-Solidarity strike admitted that it had disposed at the site wastes from the production of

# Missing U.K. Scientist's Body Found LONDON (AP) — A body believed to be that of a missing atomic research scientist has been found on a cliff in southwest England, the

police said Monday. Russell Smith, 23, a laboratory technician at the Atomic Energy

Authority center in Harwell, 50 miles (81 kilometers) west of London, vanished from his home two weeks ago. The police said that the body was found in Boscastle, Comwall, about 150 miles away, on Sunday, Five British scientists died in unusual circumstances last year, All were

involved in security-related research although no connection among the deaths has been established.

# For the Record

About 14,000 NATO troops from eight nations will participate in land ers demanding and air exercises in Norway next month, the alliance's European military the price in-headquarters in Casteau, Belginm, said Monday. The maneuvers, called (AP, Reuters) "Arrowhead Express 88." will be held March 2-24 as part of a regular The number of Soviet Jews allowed to emigrate fell back in January to 658, which was the lowest monthly total in nine months. The Intergovesn-**Police Break Up** mental Committee for Migration in Geneva said it was too early to determine any reversal in the steady rise in emigration in 1987. (UPI) Gummen killed a Manila policeman and two members of the national **U.S.-Soviet Rights** constabulary in separate incidents over the weekend. Communist rebels were blamed for the killings. In another Manila incident, troops fired tear gas at protesters who stormed town offices, asserting that election results in the Muntinhupa district had been falsified. (Reuters) MOSCOW -- The police and plainclothes KGB men broke up a meeting of two American members A nationwide strike by Italian journalists on Saturday shut down news agencies and newspapers, causing cancellation of Sunday editions. The journalists, part of the national press federation, were protesting a of an international human rights delegation with Soviet dissidents breakdown in negotiations for a new nationwide contract. (ĂP)

# Malenkov, Ex-Soviet Leader, Dies at 86 dominance, Mr. Malenkov must be

MOSCOW - Georgi M. Malenkov, who briefly served as the Sovi-et prime minister after the death of Stalin in 1953, bas died at the age of 86, a government spokesman said Monday

The Foreign Ministry spokes-man, Gennadi I, Gerasimov, said that Mr. Malenkov's death about 10 days ago - had not been announced earlier at the request of his relatives.

### **Relegated to Obscurity**

New York Times Service

Mr. Malenkov tried to project his vast expertise in the Byzantine posts that Stalin had held. politics of the Stalin period into the post-Stalin era. He tried, and he

For the last decades of his life he lived in obscurity, humiliated, unheralded even for his early contri- the jockeying among Stalin's heirs

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relegated to the status of an also- ister by Marshal Nikolai A. Bulgaran in midcentury Soviet politics. nin, who, in 1959, himself fell vic-As a young Communist, Mr. Ma- tim to the Kremlin power poliocs lenkov had served as Stalin's pri- of Khrushchev, vate secretary. Toward the end of the dictator's life, he was a Kremlin Not until two years after Mr.

Malenkov's downfall did the victor intimate and seemed well placed to in the struggle provide the explanainherit the mantle of power. tion that became the party line on Mr. Malenkov. Less than 24 hours after the an-

According to Khrushchev, Mr. nouncement of Stalin's death. March 5, 1953, Mr. Malenkov ap-Malenkov was leader of an antiparty group, an anti-Khrushchev peared as chairman of the Council of Ministers, the head of the Soviet faction that also included Vyachesgovernment. He was listed first lav M, Molotov and Lazar M, Kaganovich. In ousting and exposing them in June 1957, Khrushchev reamong the members of the Communist Party's policymaking body, the Presidium, and became the first secretary of the party — all the moved a major roadblock on his way to the top. In 1964, it was announced that

Mr. Malenkov, along with Molotov and Mr. Kagapovich, had been ex-This clean sweep was short-lived, for only 10 days later Mr. Malenkov was forced by his rivals to give pelled from the Communist Party. up control of the party machinery. He retained the government post as River at the southern extremity of butions to the Soviet system. Out- continued, until Feb. 8, 1955, when the Urals. The conspicuous silence advise on who should be purged maneuvered by Nikita S. be stood before the Supreme Soviet of Soviet biographics about his par- and who should be selected to re-Kbrushchev in the latter's rise to and announced his "resignation." ents suggests that he came from a place the victims of the purge.

with the year 1919 when, at the age of 17, he joined the Red Army and quickly became a poliocal agitator and commissar in Central Asia among army units putting down in surrections by the Moslems.

become one of the chief political commissars in Central Asia. The 1930s saw him rise swiftly in

From 1930 to 1934 he worked in the Moscow party organization, under Mr. Kaganovich, as head of personnel, a job in which his most

important task was helping to eliminate those opposed to Stalin. The great purges gave Mr. Malenkov a chance to play a key role. Mr. Malenkov was born in Oren-burg, now Chkalov, on the Ural official directly concerned with River at the southern extremity of personnel so that it fell to him to

to a real improvement in relations, "Any oews that they are coming closer can only be good for the alliance," said one official at North Atlantic Treaty Organization head-

quarters in Brussels. The often-tense relations between the two nations complicate alliance military planning on the southern flank and have blocked an assessment of NATO's overall con-

ventional force strength. Prime Minister Andreas Papandreou of Greece and Prime Minister Turgut Ozal announced in Davos, Switzerland, that they had agreed to set up crisis telephone links between Athens and Ankara

In a cautious reaction, a NATO spokesman said the alliance welcomed any steps that could improve Greek-Turkish relations. "It is to be hoped that the meeting in Davos is a move in that direction,

**NATO Backs** He was succeeded as prime min-ister by Marchal Nikolai A Bulez- class or persont background. Bid by Turks class or peasant, background. Accounts of his life usually begin And Greeks

Joining the Communist Party in 1920, Mr. Malenkov, by 1922, had

the hierarchy,

Reuters BRUSSELS - NATO officials gave a cantious welcome oo Monday to moves by Greece and Turkey to patch up their differences, saying they hoped this would lead

strikes.

Janusz Onyszkiewicz, Solidariand hold a top-level meeting once a

union would not appeal for largescale national action but was "certainly ready to support" any local job actions by workers demanding

and gave birth to Solidarity.



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The frictions between Turkey and Greece, divided over a territorial dispute in the Acgean Sea and over Cyprus, annually lead to boy-cotts by each side of NATO air and

sea exercises involving the other. Taking account of the political sensitivities of the two sides makes planning exercises in the Acgean difficult, one official said. They have not exercised together with

each other for many years, and that is bound to have an effect militarily," a diplomat said. ly," a diplomat said. A dispute by the two powers over Greek forces on the island of Lem-nos has blocked agreement among the allies on a student said Monday. About nine policemen and three KGB agents entered the Moscow

the allies on a standard assessment apartment where about 70 people of all NATO's conventional forces were meeting Sunday evening and at a sensitive moment, officials told the participants to leave, acsaid. cording to Alexander Rubchenko. This in effect has left NATO who was at the gathering. Five Soviet citizens were arrested

without an agreed set of figures for its forces to submit to negotiators when they failed to produce identiat East-West convendonal force ty papers, but they were released later, Mr. Rubchenko said. talks in Vienna, where it is expected to argue that NATO is outnumbered and outgunned by the Warof all present, including the two Americans, members of the Inter-national Helsinki Federation for saw pact. NATO diplomats said there had

been signs that leaders of the two countries were frightened by the intensity of their dispute last March over an oil exploradon zone in the Aegean. Diplomats in Brussels said part

of Turkey's motivation for peace moves with Athens may also be the knowledge that it will require Greek support for its application to join the European Community.

The Ozal government, re-elected last month, has made EC member-Sadat Property ship a top foreign policy goal and sees Greece as the main potential The Associated Press barnier to entry.

CAIRO — A prosecutor here has asked for the confiscation of \$8.2 million in property allegedly ob-tained through corruption by 11 relatives of Anwar Sadat, the late

Abdel-Salam Hamed, the prosecutor-general, based the request Saturday on a 1983 judgment by the Ethics Court, which had convicted the president's brother, Es-mai Sadat, three of Esmat's sons and seven other family members of

The police checked the idenoities

ty sequestered for five years under and-corruption laws enacted dur ing Sadat's presidency.

# TRAVEL UPDATE

A sandstorm over northern Egypt forced diversion of incoming flights to Cairo Airport on Monday. A slowdown strike by EgyptAir pilots, meanwhile, continued to disrupt flights of the state-owned airline. (AP) The beaviest snow in 100 years in the Caucasus mountains has closed

the rail link between the southern Soviet republies of Georgia, Armenia and Azerbaijan, Tass reported Monday. (Reuters)

Brazilian railroad workers began their first national strike on Monday to push for pay increases of 60 percent to 80 percent. A railroad union official said all 85,000 national rail workers were on indefinite strike. Railroad administration officials said that some employees were working

and that some trains were running. (Retuers) Buses rolled across the Golden Gate Bridge on Monday, marking an end to a nine-day strike in San Francisco. Drivers who had been on strike

Uganda Airlines, cased in Las vegas. Uganda Airlines resumed flights to Europe and the Middle East on Monday after a three-week strike by half its staff, including pilots and technicians, an airline spokesman said. About half of the airline's 450 employees stopped work on Jan. 11, demanding higher wages and better working conditions. (AP)

# Eager Bidders Find No Sole at Sale Of Imelda Marcos N.Y. Kickshaws

New York Times Service

NEW YORK — There were none of the legendary pairs of shoes. There were onne of the cushions with the pithy sayings, such as "Nouveau riche is better than no riche at all," and none of the formal portraits that were actually blown-up photographs, painted over in

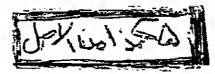
But many of the items recovered from a luxury Manhattan apariment and auctioned off at Christie's on behalf of the Philippine government on Saturday were vintage Imedia Marcos. They includ-ed n malachite table supported by a satyr, an ornamental elephant holding an obelisk and a set of dessert plates that sold for \$70,000. The auction brought in \$587,000, and the remaining items will be sold next user. sold next week.

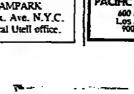
sold next week. The items had been in an apartment ostensibly owned by an associate of Mrs. Marcos's busband, former President Ferdinand E. Marcos of the Philippines, and used only by Mrs. Marcos. Several at the auction said that in her day, Mrs. Marcos had been a formidable shopping force in New York art galleries. But while Mrs. Marcos bought heavily, one dealer said, she was not discrimining. Another said that although there were some fine items in the collection especially furniture and porcelain. Mrs. Marcos segmed

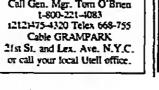
Anomer said that almough mete were some the nears in the collection, especially furniture and porcelain, Mrs. Marcos seemed to have owned "a mixed bag" of goods. "They probably removed the best things," he said, referring to reports that the Marcoses managed to spirit away many possessions before the Aquino government seized them.

"We're only seeing the leftovers, really," said another dealer.

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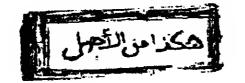
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The Associated Pres. s by 50 percent. QUITO, Ecuador --- Two opposition presidential candidates were headed for a runoff Monday after defeating the governing party's candidate and promising to steer the country away from conservative policies.

avoid a runoff May 8.

tive policits. Rodrigo Borja, 52, a center-left lawyer who heads the Democratic Left Party, got about 20 percent of the vote in the election Sunday, far

short of the majority needed, to

governing Social Christian Party, a

conservative, Sixto Durán, who re-

ceived 13.1 percent of the vote and:

Mahuad. Mr. Vargas Pazzos re-

ceived-12 percent of the vote and

ing is required by law, but in past elections about 30 percent of the

Ecuadorins also voted Sunday for the 71 seats of the unicametal

Congress and 1,400 provincial and municipal officials. Sixteen parties

ranging from far right to Commu-nist took part.

Mr. Borja has pledged to reverse the conservative policies of the pro-U.S. president, León Febres Cor-

voters have not cast ballots.

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In the runoff, he will will face Abdila Bucaram, 35, a populist who has his power base in Guaya-T strike was made at a new relatives of inmates load of quil, a port that is Ecuador's largest Bofill group and will an he former prisoners told of with 2,907,909 - or more than 80 percent - of the ballots count-5, solitary confinement is ed, Mr. Borja had 592,233 votes, or nd electricity. 449,166 votes, or 15.4 percent, at 449,166 votes, or 15.4 percent. The third-place functor, in the field of 10 was the nominee of the

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Dromptly conceded Trailing Mr. Durán were former General Frank Vargas Pazzos, run-ning on a Nationalist Lefuist ticket. al in Peshawar, 25 miles (4) hat three of the dead wer plice said the mortar device. and a Christian Democrat, Jamil e late morning as the Sahi egetable vendors and the set Mr. Mahuad received 9 percent. igs to the last year were the Election officials said only about 3.5 million of Ecuador's 4.6 million registered voters cast ballots. Vot-

# nical Cleanup

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sent decree calling for its (70-square-kilometer) tas a lawsuit the government bicides and other chemical

dero, a businessman barred by law from seeking a second consecutive my. In 1985, Shell admite four-year term. He is to step down At the same time, the ans in August. Mr. Bucaram has vowed to raise stes from the production the taxes of the rich and divide the

# **Body Found** e that of a missing atomic in southwest England, the

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olice said that the body we :s away, on Sunday. instances last year. All war 1 no connection among it

wealth among the needy. A colorful, combative campaigner, he was as seen as a "wild card," with only a slight chance of making it into the runoff. . . Mr. Borja, who ran twice before for the presidency, narrowly lost a runoff against Mr. Febres Cordero in 1984 and was favored Sunday. Mr. Duran's loss was a sign of

the waning popularity of Mr. Febres Cordero's government in the face of serious economic problems brought on by a sharp drop in the price of oil, the country's main export, and economic damage from devastating carthonakes last year. - Mr. Borja is calling for a morato-num on foreign debt payments, a more restrictive foreign investment

policy, restoration of diplomatic

relations with Nicaragua and close

ties to the Nonaligned Movement.

Mr. Bocaram, a former mayor of

Guayaquil who has gained a huge

following among the city's slum

dwellers, campaigned as the "force

style, Mr. Bucaram on Sunday punched the director of the Guaya-

quil Red Cross in the pose. The director had stopped the candidate

from entering Red Cross headquar-

ters in pursuit of a man who had

- However, political leaders and

newspapers described the cam-

paign as the most peaceful since

The nation was governed by civil-

ian and military dictatorships from

1970 to 1979.

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of the poor."

insulted him.

By R.W. Apple Jr. New York Times Service BURLINGTON, lowa --- It is hard to know what to expect of Pat Robertson in lowa, where his unorthodox presidential candidacy, like the more conventional campaigns of his rivals, will get its first major test Monday.

If the findings of public opin-ion surveys are accepted, the Vir-ginia clergyman and former television broadcaster is likely to finish a weak third in the Republican caucuses, behind Senator Bob Dole of Kansas and Vice President George Bush. In the most recent lowa Poll, completed

Jan. 14, Mr. Robertson was fatainiy vored by only 11 percent of those who said they probably would attend the cancuses. That result represents the expectations of the Republican establishment in Iowa as well, or at least it represents the publicly stated view, Party elders predict a

straight Bush-Dole fight, with scant room for others.

But privately some wonder whether they are in for a surprise. They have been uncasy since September, when Mr. Robertson won a party straw poll to Ames. Even if Mr. Robertson skewed the vote by bringing in supporters by the carload, one of the state's longtime Republican officehold-ers asked, "Isn't that what the caucuses are all about, identify-

ing your supporters and then turning them out en masse for one pivotal event?" In Burlington, a rugged rail-road town of 30,000 people on the Mississippi River, Mr. Robertson has given further cause for uncer-He has managed to do in Bur-lington what he has been unable to do in most places: He has won

the endorsement of an elected of-licial, Sheriff Gary Beckman, who switched his registration from Democratic to Republican to back Mr. Robertson. Mr. Beckman is an unusual

tics to study for the Roman Catholic priesthood. His support lends credibility to the Robertson campaign in southeastern lowa and enables Robertson supporters to challenge the argument, which is heard across the country, that their candidate's support is limited to those who share his evan-

gelical beliefs. In October, Mr. Robertson drew 250 people to a rally in West Burlington and 350 more to an appearance downriver to Keokuk. These were the largest

crowds of the campaign in the area for either a Republican or a Demoerat, according to Ron Parker, a political reporter for The Hawk Eye, the Burlington daily newspaper. Mr. Robertson's chances in

Burlington, as in a number of other small towns and cities to

**Robertson May Create Surprise in Iowa** public figure who more than once ness of the local Republican orga has considered abandoning poli- nization. As one precinc nization. As one precinct committeeman said, "We're not used to spirited contests in our caucuses, and some of our precinct meetings have drawn only five or six people to most recent years.

If that happens again, the pas-sionately committed Robertson

or in a relatively few cases, Rep-resentative Jack F. Kemp of New York. But the potential for a stronger Robertson showing statewide than is generally ex-

pected certainly seems to exist, especially if a winter storm



supporting the rebels.

Snowe, Republican of Maine, said

that in the recent recess she attend-

For Vote in House, Reagan Aides Adjust the Price Tag

By Neil A. Lewis Ven York Tunes Service The voie also has important im-WASHINGTON - When the

House of Representatives considpresidential election year: the party ers new aid for the Nicaraguan rehas been struggling to shed an imbels this week, the package from the White House will carry a price age of reluctance to use U.S. might. The United States supports insurtag of \$36.25 million for four gencies in Nicaragua, Afghanistan months, a figure the Reagan adand Angola. Congress has had to vote only on the Nicaraguan issue. ministration argues is relatively modest.

But an examination of the details enthusiasm among voters for the in the hill show it would actually contra cause. The Iran-contra hear-

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provide the rebels, known as contras, with at least \$43 million worth of aid and perhaps as much as \$63 million over that period. The way the administration has

ed 10 town meetings at which citizens complained regularly about the administration's behavior in the Iran-contra affair, in which the fashioned the package to make it appear smaller — and thus more valatable - is one of the tactics United States sold weapons to Iran being employed to appeal to a group of about two dozen members of Congress from both parties who and used some of the profits to aid the Nicaraguan rebels. are considered crucial votes when

xpressed concern about whether the issue comes up Wednesday. The political stakes are high for both sides. Administration officials the Moscow-backed government in Nicaragua would become a threat to other countries in the region. from President Ronald Reagan on down face the daunting prospect In the past, many Democrats that they could leave office in a and uncommitted Republicans year without having accomplished any of their goals in Nicaragua.

to blame if an unrestrained Nicaragus then became a threat to other countries in Central America. Members of Congress generally abbor votes as clear-cut as the one

years of military, political and eco-nomic support of the rebels. vote or eliminate military aid entirely, allowing them to vote on plications for the Democrats in a something that can be characterized as humanitarian aid. "Congressmen are searching for the comfort zone," an administration official said. "Anything to avoid voting on the matter."

But the administration and congressional opponents have both Public opinion polls show little sought to tailor their appeals to those concerns. The administration scaled down its plan, so that only 10 percent of the \$36.25 million ings that were broadcast across the nation also lessened enthusiasm for would go to purchase "lethal equipment," and that money would be Representative Olympia J.

held in escrow for 30 days. The Democrats, led hy the House Speaker, Jim Wright of Tex-as, have countered by offering the uncommitted legislators a chance to vole for a different package that does not include any military aid whatsoever. Under the Democratie proposal, if the administration bill was defeated, members of Con-gress would then be able to turn around and vote in favor of "hu-

She said voters also frequently manitarian aid. Although the administration plan specifies \$36.25 million, it also includes authorization to spend

money for "passive air defense equipment" to support supply flights to the contra forces. Those costs have been estimated by the administration to be \$1.75

million a month. In Paris, your preferred choice is Hotel

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**Reagan Says Contra Aid** Is Lever for Peace Plan

WASHINGTON - President

the field. Critics of the package contend it would hamper the Central American peace process at a critical junc-ture, while the administration argues the rebels will wither away if the four-month aid plan is not ap-"One question must be an- proved.

Mr. Reagan said to a The House majority leader, Thomas Foley, Democrat of Washington, expressed his "firm belief" that the House will defeat the mea-SUITE.

But he said lawmakers would nagua government has reneged on have an opportunity soon to vote a string of pledges to democratize, on an alternative aid package that and that unless aid to the contras, will contain only strictly defined as the Nicaraguan rebels are humanitarian aid such as food, known is continued, it will do the elothing and medical supplies.

escrow and released after March 31 In the heart of Paris. if he alone decides that the regional "Le Bristol" is just a few peace process has not succeeded. steps from the Champs The remaining \$32 million in Elysées and the city's most "nonlethal" aid covers food, clothexclusive shops. The hotel ing, medical supplies, vehicles and offers elegantly appointed spare parts for vehicles, as well as money to lease aircraft and buy rooms, exceptional service, communications gear for troops to and a beautiful French garden

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# on Wednesday, and there have would have little to show for seven The Associated Press

Ronald Reagan argued Monday that Nicaragua's leftist leaders will not comply with a regional peace plan without a "threat hanging over them" and that his \$36.2 million contra aid package would do the trick.

Meanwhile, the White House scrambled to make the aid package palatable to doubtful members of the House of Representatives as the outcome of Wednesday's vote remained in the hands of about 20 undecided congressmen.

swered." speech to the National Religious Broadcasters. "Sandinista prom-ises of the past have been broken. Can we believe them now?"

Mr. Reagan argued that the Ma-

"The Sandinistas haven't made

Governor Michael S. Dukakis of Massachusetts, right, and Senator Albert Gore Jr. of Tennessee at a South Dakota debate.

# **Dukakis Moving to Close Passion Gap**

By David S. Broder Washington Post Service

DES MOINES, Iowa -- You could call it the greening of Michael S. Dukakis. In the final week of the lowa campaign, the governor of Massachusetts is trying to close the passion gap, which is about all that is preventing him from becoming the favorite for the Democratic presidential nomination. He has fought his way into contention in the caucuses Monday against his main rivals, Representative Richard A. Gephardt of Misand Senator Paul Simon of Illinois. Although still as out of place to a discussion of farm policy as a bond salesman in a barnyard, the urbane Mr. Dukakis has assembled an organization as good as any in the race and made his name familiar through 78 days of campaigning. His greatest problem in winning the caucuses and thereby solidifying his favorite's role to the New Hampshire primary Feb. 16 and in subsequent contests was capsulized Sunday in the lead sentence of a profile in the Des Moines Sunday Register: "Michael Du-kakis appeals to the head, not the heart." On the stump the last few days and in a barrage of television ads, Mr. Dukakis is doing his best to convince voters that he is not simply the "brainy, cool technocrat" the Register profile described but a man who shares their dreams — and their anger. His principal vehicle is the issue of aid to the Nicaraguan rebels known as contras, a key question for the kind of Democrats who pick the delegates in Iowa. Mr. Dukakis consistently has condemned the "Illegal, improp-er" effort by the Reagan administration to apply military pressure on Nicaragua.

But his talk is newly emotional, fueled to part by his reaction to a front-page article last week in The New York Times, written by Stephen Kinzer, a Times reporter and former Dukakis protégé and aide.

With a catch in his voice, Mr. Dukakis on Saturday gave audiences in Cedar Falls and Cedar Rapids a paraphrase of what Mr. Kinzer saw to a Managua hospital.

"You almost always see a child or two or three, without an arm, without a leg, without vision," Mr. Dukakis said, "a child who has been burt in a contra raid, a child who has been playing around with a Sandinista mine, a victim of this war. And when spokesmen for the administration talk about keeping up the pressure on the Sandinistas, we have to know what pressure really means: kids with their

self with the compassion and tradition of Hubert H. Humphrey and Mr. Gephardt by borrowing some of the Reverend Jesse L. Jackson's populist anger at the large corpora-tions and "the establishment."

Ethel Klein, a political scientist and Gep-hardt adviser, said Sunday that Mr. Dukakis is wise to show more emotion.

"People have to make a leap of faith to vote for someone for president," she said, "and there are a lot of voters still hesitating. They recognize Michael has leadership ability but they don't feel they have access to him because he has been so emotionally closed. He can't just say, 'f care'; but by talking about something he really does care about, he conveys that message subliminally and makes himself more accessible."

Iowa where the Democrats domi-nate, are enhanced by the weak-mainstream candidates at home.

### backers could pull off coups like those they staged in parts of Michigan in the fall of 1986, officials in lowa say. In Republican strongholds, the task will be harder, because they have vigorous party organiza-tions with experienced workers supporting Mr. Bush, Mr. Dole

have hacked off voting to kill con-tra aid for fear they would be open If Congress votes down the aid package and the contras soon cease to he an effective force, the Sandinists would remain in power in Nicaragua and the administration

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arms blown off, pregnant women assassinat-ed and raped, villages and farms destroyed. That's the human face of 'pressure.' "And that's why I say: Not one dollar of contra aid. Not one. Not one!" be added.

As he spoke those words, audiences of several hundred who crowded the liberal churches selected for his appearances grew silent and then exploded in applause. "It was a side of him I'd never seen before,"

said a woman in Cedar Rapids. "I could feel his rage.

Aides talk about the phenomenon as "connecting on the human level," something they concede never has been easy for Mr. Dukakis, who is methodical and task-oriented, even with staff members and advisers. It has become a critical factor to caucus

politics, because Mr. Gephardt and Mr. Simon already have managed to make that connection: Mr. Simon by identifying him-

The same message reportedly was given to Mr. Dukakis by John C. Culver, a former lowa senator who is an old Dukakis friend and Harvard Law School elassmate. He endorsed Mr. Dukakis and campaigned with him across the state Saturday. Mr. Culver almost totally overshadowed the candidate at a joint appearance, but later toned down his

hetoric while encouraging Mr. Dukakis to put more passion into his speeches. Mr. Dukakis's speaking efforts comple-ment a pair of new ads by Ken Swope, a media consultant who joined the campaign in carly January. One is on the contras, the other on homelessness, with Mr. Dukakis reacting to almost unbearably poignant scenes of street people near the White House. When Mr. Dukakis returns to lowa on

Wednesday for his final push, plans are for him to focus the same kind of emotion on his basic theme of jobs and economic growth.

New York Times Service

one concession on their own without a threat hanging over them," he

"It's just this simple - the way to democracy and peace in Nicaragua is to keep the pressure on the Sandinistas, taking irreversible steps to comply with the regional steps to comply with the regional peace plan, and giving aid to the freedom fighters now," Mr. Rea-gan said to his speech at a Washing-ton held ton hotel.

The president's plea was part of a lobbying drive that will culminate Tuesday in a televised address from the White House.

But as Mr. Reagan spoke, the anti-contra lobbying intensified on Capitol Hill and Democratic leadcapitol Hill and Democratie lead-ers exuded confidence that they are headed for victory in the House

Mr. Reagan is fighting for a package that iocludes \$3.6 million for ammunition and anti-aircraft missiles, which would be placed in

### Living Abroad A High School **Managing U.S. Foreign Service Couples On N.Y. Campus** NEW YORK - A leading Japa-

By Sherry Buchanan at fierald Tribune

Until the early 1970s, if two U.S. foreign service officers married each other, one had to leave the diplomatic corps. That changed with the fear of affirmative action lawsuits. To manage dual-career conflicts: the State Denartment in-have had to take a leave of absence lawsuits. To manage dual-career conflicts, the State Department in-troduced a tandem assignment po-licy that enabled spouses to keep their jobs and be assigned, when -possible, to the same embassy.

But today the increasing number of senior tandem couples means fewer joint assignments are available in keeping with federal legisla-non against nepotism, which says one spouse cannot report directly. or indirectly to the other.

An enviable plight, say the non-tandems, who believe the policy lands couples in the much soughtafter jobs in big U.S. embassies in are available. European capitals rather than in . so-called "hardship" posts.

ples, there are problems finding consulates, embassies and other posts where there are two job openings. Since the bigger posts have officers' claims that tandems are more openings, said Phyllis Oakley, not assigned to hardship posts are a State Department spokeswoman. many single people say "tandem couples get London or Paris, whereas we who are alone have to

According to a study by the de-percent of tandems are assigned to ing agreement on Monday to help gartment's Bureau of Personnel, them, couples are sent to such posts revive Argentina's economy and rethe number of randem couples has in "the same relative proportion" inforce its fragile democracy. increased by 58 percent since 1980, as other foreign service officers. President Raul Alfonsin of Arincreased by 58 percent since 1980, as other foreign service officers. when there were 183 couples, to 289 couples in 1987.

based on merit. Officers not ap- acquire seniority and should budget ents force staff reductions. pointed are required to resign. "A danger post is likely to have a "Most tandems currently are flashier evaluation," said a tandem spouse in one of the big "plush" mid-level foreign service officers, or one member of the tandem is a embassies, His first six preferences secretary," said Ray Ewing, chief opment and assignment office in Washington, without pay.

He noted that last year, of 289 The competition to get ahead couples, 228, or 78.9 percent, were has become so cutthroat that the on joint assignments in Washingassignment becomes very importon and overscas. Assignments separated 48 couples and 13 spouses were on leave without pay.

The number of "Where you are beginning to see problems is when officers become more senior," Mr. Ewing said. "In cases where one spouse is the am-bassador, generally the State Desenior tandem couples is

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Mrs. Oakley said: "The fear of nepotism is built into the federal service system of performance eval-

tant," he said. Last year, 120 career uation. The State Department tries With the increase in tandem con- officers who were not appointed to to make accommodations for tanthe Senior Foreign Service re-

The Bureau of Personnel says exaggerated. A survey last year found that

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The same comparisons for Africa, Asia, Latin America and the González of Spain said the Treaty

After marrying another foreign service officer, Mrs. Oakley re-signed to 1958. After rejoining the nese university plans to build the first private high school for Japa-nese students in the United States service in 1974, she accepted two separate assignments.

on the campus of Manhattanville She also is the only officer to College in Purchase, New York. "Education has been a tremenof the foreign service career devel- have been allowed to work in the embassy where her spouse was ambassador, a situation that, she says, was not to everyone's liking,

"Other foreign officers used the charge of nepotism to refuse assignments to Zaire, saying they didn't want to be sandwiched between the ambassador and his wife," she said. "The State Department has since pulled back from letting ambassadors' spouses work

in the same mission. To cope with the increasing number of tandems to senior positions, the State Department has that would be affiliated with a Japwhose career should have priority when applying for assignments.

"It's very hard to be equitable," Mrs. Oakley said. "The couple now has to decide which assignment has that decision for them."

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The Associated Press TOKYO---A U.S. SR-71 recon-naissance plane infiltrated North slated to get the \$8 million to build

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Zev Wolfson, a New York real estate developer, gave Mr, Inouye a \$1,000 campaign contribution -the maximum for an individual -

for his last Senate race in 1986.

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# **Another Embarrassment**

The immediate interest of the latest tale of intrigue to unfold around the name of Edwin Meese 3d is what its impact may be on the standing and tenure of the much investigated attorney general. Press disclosures of the past few days have only begun exploring a matter that a special prosecutor has been probing for some months. Any impulse to rush to judgment of Mr. Meese has to be checked by considerations of fairness and by a recognition that the whole story remains to be told. But the political effect of these oew disclosures and allegations about the government's chief law enforcement officer is bound to be severe.

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If it is too early to say what if any laws or proprieties Mr. Meese might have violated, it is not too early to express astonishment at two particular aspects of this affair. The first concerns the easy access to his presence and office that Mr. Meese seems to have been ready to extend to old friends. In this case, his former lawyer, E. Bob Wallach, evidently brought to him a matter of the utmost legal and international delicacy. It concerned a plan for an American firm, the Bechtel Group, to build a billion-dollar oil pipeline for Iraq (blockaded by Iran) through Jordan, and for ensuring Israel's sufferance for the project. Some part of the plan that went across Mr. Meese's Justice Department desk,

it seems, concerned a payoff to Israel's Labor Party. No part of the plan is known to have been consummated, but what concerns the investigators now is whether Mr. Meese, whose lawyer describes his involvement as

"very limited" and "passive only," handled the project in the right way. The other astonishing thing is confirma-tion of the pattern of out-of-channels foreign policy-making seen to such dismal effect in the Iran-contra affair. Smack in the middle of this episode of big money and high policy were assorted unofficial actors such as Mr. Wallach and Bruce Rappaport, a Swiss businessman who apparently was helping smooth Bechtel's way with the Israelis. Onite ont of the action, from available reports, was the agency that should have been in the center of it - the State Department, where George Shultz, a former Bechtel official, had recused himself from any dealings with his old firm.

This may help explain why, in 1985, two secret projects were moving through Washington. One, involving the arms sales, was meant to reach out to Iran; the other, involving the pipeline, was to assist Iraq. Not surprisingly, both failed, leaving behind an array of wreckage of which Mr. Meese's current embarrassment is but one part. - THE WASHINGTON POST.

### MINNEAPOLIS - What if Mikhail Gorbachev succeeds? Or perhaps it will be his successor's successor who succeeds. Regardless, Americans had better wake up to the fact that Mr. Gorbachev has unleas

oew forces. His Soviet Union is greatly changed from the one the United States has learned to live with since the arms race began to accelerate two decades ago. The changes Mr. Gorbachev has set in motion will ultimately prevail in some manner. In spite of centuries of oppression in Russia, human nature will not permit even a

small taste of freedom to perish. The recent U.S.-Soviet summit focused public attention on arms control and easing military tensions between the superpowers. But the West cannot afford to ignore the other items on Mr. Gorbachey's policy agen-da: improving economic conditions in the Soviet Union and enhancing the way the country is seen by the rest of the world. It is important to be alert to these nonmili-

tary changes and what they mean not only for the Soviet Union but also for America.

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public officials to improve their performance. Even so, the continued influence of the KGB and the military will see to it that openness does not lead to pluralist democratic tenden-cies or to a weakening of the party's control. Arms reduction deals will enable Moscow

to shift resources from nuclear forces to the domestic economy, but with no weakening of the overwhelming threat of conventional Soviet military forces in Europe and Asia.

Perestroika and glasnost will have their international ramifications as well. The Soviet Unioo is starting a campaign to become an important trading partner of the United States. A major public relations offensive is well under way to project a "good guy" image of Soviet leaders and their beefed-up embassy staffs around the world.

It is not inconceivable that Moscow will propose an arms-free Central Europe and get a peace treaty with Japan, materially affecting U.S. relationships with traditional allies.

Suddenly the United States and the rest of the noncommunist world are faced with a very different adversary. The Soviet Union has in the past had a bankrupt domestic economy and has been incapable of supporting a meaningful international economic role. It has had a brutal totalitarian government, suppressing dissent at home. Military might was the only way the Soviet government could command respect, or fear, around the world. For the foreseeable future at least, the Soviet

Glasmost, or openness and willingness to criticize the past, will lead to pressures on Union will remain a one-party totalitarian

### By Edson W. Spencer

**OPINION** 

state with an oppressive police and a mighty military establishment. Leaders will look on Western democratic ideas as threats to their security. But the Soviet Union will be an international competitor of a different kind. It will project reasonableness and a willingness to trade. It will play down the importance of military might and the spread of communism. The Soviet Union will step up its efforts to appear a nonthreatening sectors as it heilds a

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appear a nonthreatening partner as it builds a network of friendly states in the Third World as well as in Europe and the Pacific. These efforts could erode the support that many of these countries traditionally have provided to the geopolitical objectives of the United States. In the longer run, perhaps in the 21st centu-

ry, perestroika and glasnost might lead to the breakdown of the Soviet bloc, to the decline and fall of imperial Russia and to the emer-gence of European-style democracy.

The United States is not well prepared to deal with the changes coming out of Moscow. Bipartisan foreign policy has been almost absent since the Vietnam War. Washington is foundering in response to Soviet arms reduction initiatives. It finds it difficult to maintain worldwide economic leadership.

U.S. budgets for foreign economic aid and overseas embassies have been cut. And yet for the first time since World War II, American leaders are competing for international political loyalty with a young, vigorous, open and confident leadership in the Kremlin. A new president will have a good opportu-

A Changing Soviet Union Will Mean a Changed World nity to put Washington's house in order so the United States can take advantage of changes initiated by the new leadership in the Krem-lin. Here is what he must do:

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international leadership, it must do some rethe budget deficit, and the means to do so-involve three politically unpopular steps;

Increase taxes, for example with a debt reduction surtax, the income from which cannot be spent; limit "entitlement" program not be spent; mult entitient program costs by reducing cost-of-living increases and requiring a needs test for Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid; and gradually reduce military spending under the assumption that the Soviet Union will provide an oppose tunity to do so in the oext decade.

The writer is chairman of Honeywell Inc. He . contributed this to the International Herald Tribune.

# **Take Off Tuned Up**

Even though the experts and veteran travelers love to reassure the airborne nervous that flying is safer than driving, crossing busy streets or doing all sorts of routine daily things, it helps to have the government coming up with proposals and procedures to make things safer to the air. One recent announcement from the Federal Aviation Administration was hardly original or brilliant but perhaps needed saying from Washington: The agency has asked airlines to avoid assigning two inexperienced pilots to the same flight.

Io an advisory, the FAA recommends that in bad weather captains should make all takeoffs and landings when they are flying with co-pilots who have fewer than 100 hours of experience in the aircraft type they are flying. FAA chief T. Allan McArtor was quick to explain that "we're not suggesting an inexperienced pilot is oot qualified," only that experience adds "familiarity, confidence and proficiency."

Fair enough, although not likely to produce measurable improvements in cockpit cootrol. More important is word from the FAA that it is tightening rules regarding aircraft maintenance. The agency is directing airlines to repair equipment more promptly -- to reduce the oumber of de-ferred maintenance items through tighter

deadlines. Because aircraft are built with redundant systems designed to get a plane home safely after something has gone wrong, rules have allowed an aircraft to continue operating with certain malfunctions until it passes through an airport where repairs can be made conveniently. This has led to abuses, Mr. McArtor says, "some gamesmanship with minimum equipment lists" that will not be allowed anymore. The Department of Transportation, meanwhile, is establishing a permanent "safety auditors" office to oversee safety issues involving all agencies it controls. Its first assignment is to examine more than 200 safety recommendations made by its bureaucratic parent, a safety review task force established in 1983. These include 66 recommendations to the FAA on airport security, as well as issues involving rail, highway and mass transit systems.

All these minibursts of government suggestions, recommendations and new paper work may be little more than public relations unless the agencies follow through with public reports and action against airlines that try to cut corners in the cockpit or oo the maintenance lines, Passengers canoot make these determinations themselves, even thoogh their lives depend upon them. - THE WASHINGTON POST.

# **AIDS:** A Silly Measure

The Illinois Legislature and the state's produces an unacceptable share of false positives. If Illinois should ever find 100 toglorious example of what not to do about AIDS. Ignoring the advice of their both AIDS tests, perhaps a third of them own and other public health authorities, would have been falsely diagnosed. law last year that comm everyone getting married in Illinois to be tested for the AIDS virus. The classic results of this stubborn folly would be ludicrous were it oot for the ouisance and dismay inflicted on so many people. Since Jan. 1, when the law came into effect, the oumber of marriage applications in Cook County has plummeted 60 percent. The waiting time and the cost of the tests — up to \$300 — have prompted hundreds of Illinois couples to get married in other states or not to marry at all. "If we find just I00 people that could have possibly infected another 100 people, it will have been worth it," says state Senator Beverly Fawell, sponsor of the Illinois bill. So far oot a single applicant has tested positive for the AIDS virus. That is no surprise. People getting married, who are unlikely to be homosexual or particularly prone to drug abuse, are among the least likely to be infected. In addition, screening a population at low risk for a disease, even with a highly accurate test,

Saint-Honore that makes the head spin and

the fingers itch and the ribs feel the scorch

of a red-hot wallet. "Buy me," the giories in

the shops proclaim, "and you'll get a leg up on life." Nowhere does that message sound louder than on Manhattan's East 57th

Street; and nowhere does it cost more to

send the message. Rents for a ground-level shop in the blocks between Fifth and Park

now run as much as \$425 a square foot (\$4,575 a square meter). That makes 57th the most expensive street in the world. So what does East 57th Street have on

view at the moment? Well, Victoria's Secret.

has, among other dainties, the kind of night-

gowns that announce that the wearer does

not depend on long-sleeved flannel for warmth in bed. Buccellati Silver has a soup

tureen that, for the price of a down payment

on a modest co-op (\$32,500), would do won-

ders for canned cream of mushroom soup.

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result of increased productivity — people's ability to produce more value with an hour of their work. The world now produces nearly \$15 trillion worth of goods and services each year. cans use is only \$60 a year per capita. The greatest liberation movement in history is the that the world as a whole will have become wealthy when China and India have become wealthy. passage the world is making from poverty to wealth, in the space of a few contories we are liberating ourselves from the domination of nature and things. We are creating a world in which people and ideas Of course, many smaller countries may continue to be poor for some time. But these countries, in Africa and elsewhere, will hold only a small fraction of the world's people. To become wealthy, China and India need to are the dominant influences on human life. This is a world in which countries can get rich by learning, not by taking — a very different world than most of us are used to thinking about. multiply their per-capita incomes by about five. If the experience of the last 40 years is a reasonable guide, it will take them between 60 and 120 years. An optimist would say it will take less than a century; a pessimist might say that it will take two Because people have a great capacity for evil, and for burting one another by mistake, we cannot know centuries. But either one century or two centuries is whether the wealthy human world we are creating short compared to the tens of thousands of years will be a better world than the one we have now. But during which there were no wealthy societies at all. we should keep our passage to that world in mind as children should be on the streets. There is virtually no way that shortages of raw materials can interfere with this passage to a human we assess the significance of fluctuating stock prices. — Max Singer in the Los Angeles Times. International Herald Tribune. All rights reserved. Back to Vietnam: Bad Water, but Served With Fatherly Care

# Necessary Contra

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versity Press), written by a team of By Jonathan Power throw Latin America and Africa into their worst recession since the 1930s. Asia, with the exception of the Philippines, has managed to insulate itself from the worst of it. This is

partly because some Asian countries. such as India and China, are larger, more self-sufficient units. But it must be acknowledged that it is also partly

World Poverty: For Children, Especially, Progress Has Halted,

Ton often, the cuts in government spending have been shortsighted. In Brazil, the immunization program of the state of São Paulo was snappy car-back, leading to an outbreak of deadly communicable diseases among chilacademic heavy at has on loan to UNICEF aguet that ever today, when the prognosis for renewed rapid economic growth in Africa and Latin America remains grim, it should be possible with good management to dren. In Sn Lanka, food subsidies were cut, causing an increase in mai-outrition among children. Cuts of this reverse the tide of misfortune swamping the poor, especially their children. nature mariante future growth Three-quarters of the countries of Formaldy, a mutor of countries

Lotia America and Alina have had have been wiser. Botswama, though declines in per capita income in the 1980s. Most had to accept stabilization programs prescribed by the IMF -which admits that few of the countries were encouraged to give priority to protecting the already weak and

distable from the openciale at Even given the most optimistic assumptions on renewed growth, not unul 1990 will Latin America be back where it was in 1980, and Africa will not reach that point until 1995, As these countries make the necessary large-scale adjustments, a way must be found to alleviate the condition of the poor. This would require a relatively infinitesimal measure of resources in some cases, no more than is spent on subsidizing the national airline.

savagely hit by a five-year drought has prevented a serious rise in mahutrition. It initiated programs to repair water systems and transport emergency supplies of water, provided free sood, to deschate farmers, varianted livestock, opened supplementary feed-ing programs for children inder 5 and established public works projects for. the unemployed. All this cost a mere 2 percent of its gross domestic product. Chile, despite debt and deteriorit. ing terms of trade, has moved to pro-

tect the weakest groups, particularly children under 6 and pregnant or nurs-ing women. Subsidies have gone to families in extreme poverty. There have been nutritional programs for children under 6, a primary school feeding program and a nutritional rehabilitation program for severely mal-nourished children under 2. Expenditure on these increased de-

spite an overall drop in government outlays. The consequences were dra-matic. The infant mortality rate has continued its impressive decline, albeit at a slower rate. The number of cases of communicable diseases has also diminished. Nevertheless, as the recession has deepened. Chile has found it increasingly difficult to continue these programs at full throttle. In the end, the major savior will be sustained economic growth in the industrialized countries. The IMF reckons that growth of 1 percent in the West and Japan produces growth of 3.5 percent in the Third World Mean-while, countries such as Botswana and Chile as well Chile, as well as Zimbabwe. Kenva and South Korea, have shown what can be done to "adjust with a human face," No self-respecting country's

- high oil prices, large-scale borrowing, stringent U.S. and British monebecause they are better managed. tarist policies, deceleration of econom-ic growth in Western Europe and the United States and the impact of the With a Human Face" (Oxford Uni-72

Thompsoo's public health chief, said last year that the law would oot be effective and would rob funds from measures that were. Dr. Renslow Sherer, chairman of the governor's advisory committee on AIDS, warned that it would cause needless anxiety and fear among those wrongly diagoosed. Of the fall in marriage applications, Dr. Sherer oow observes that "one of the chief ways to limit AIDS is faithful mooogamy, and here we have a system that

discourages that very thing." Health officials seeking to control the epidemic have made their practical needs clear. They want voluntary testing of peo-ple at high risk. So why do politicians impose mandatory testing of those at low risk? Perhaps because they think it makes them look bold. Instead the Illinois experience makes Governor Thompson look rash. For him, the best remedy is to admit error and lead the charge for repeal. Other governors can learn from his example. -THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Across the street, Burberry, Jaeger and

Laura Ashley show New Yorkers how to

look as if they were born to Wellington boots

and billiard-table lawns. James Robinson

sells the kind of flatware that is heavy in the

hand, and Baccarat the kind of glasses that

the average bibber can't afford to break.

Somebody who enters Hermes can exit with

the kind of bag Princess Grace made fam-

Giorgio, with the scent of money.

ous; at Prada, with a fine Italian foot: at

Who are these people? The man ponder-ing ear clips with a bilingual (at least) sales

mg ear caps with a binngual (at least) sales-woman at Chanel was Japanese. Two bean-poles —one of them muttering "formidable" — trying on suede boots at Maud Frizon were French. Among all the visitors, many are Americans who take their wardrobes

Economic news is dominated by the recent shake-

up of financial markets, but when we take a broader up of infancial markets, but when we take a broader time perspective, the big news is that wealth is sweeping over the world, regardless of Wall Street. For this longer perspective we must begin with a definition of "wealthy country" that does not change every generation. A wealthy country is one with enough resources to provide decent living conditions for the great majority of its people. It is creating the selfare that there ones new new

It is startling to realize that there oever was a single wealthy country before this century. Before 1900 no country was able to provide most of its citizens with a high school education and with cooditions good enough so that they were able to live to see their grandchildren. Everywhere human life was dominated by the fight against nature. Today about one-fourth of the world's people

WASHINGTON - Twenty years ago last month, in Tam Key, Vietnam, I stepped on a land mine. It was a type we called a "Bouncing Betty," because when you stepped on it, it bounded into the air and exploded waist-high, so that it would do maximum damage. My left arm was hlown off; grevious damage was also done to my right arm, both buttocks, both legs and both feet.

Five of the men in my platoon were wounded along with me. Within a four-week period after that, my platoon, Delta 1-6, was de-

> As I rode from the airport into Hanoi, the hard edge of hatred seemed to soften. So little had changed in this land in 20 years.

stroyed as a fighting unit. All but seven men of my platoon were killed or wounded, and the platoon, which I could not surpress the feeling that was my family and my responsibility, ceased to exist as a fighting unit. I had given my all to Vietnam. I was proud to have been an infan-

tryman, and I was proud of my men. I wept when South Vietnam fell. So I was carrying a lot of emotional baggage when I returned to Vietnam for the first time last August, as part of a team sent by President Reagan to

explore greater cooperation on a range of humanitarian issues. The leader of our group was re-tired General John. W. Vessey Jr., a former chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff. I was included because I am

into Hanoi that hard edge of haired seemed in soften. So little had changed in this land in 20 years.

We let down through a clear sunny sky. Hanoi was off to the left. As we descended, we could see "Uocle Sam's Duck Poods," GI slang for bomh craters, scattered across the landscape. I was surprised at the large outaber, and by the fact that they had not been filled to so many

### By Frederick Downs Jr. This is the first of two articles.

years later. Some were spaced hap-hazardly, others in neat rows spread bridge next to the one so frequently bombed during the war. It had taken from the aircraft that had dropped 20 years, but we were finally inside them 15 or more years ago. the city limits of Hanoi!

Flying into Hanoi was a confusing The city looked poor but reasonexperience for me. When f first got off the airplane and stood oo the tarmac, I was surprised and slightly ahly neat. It could be called shabby. embarrassed to realize that my knees were weak and my hands were trembling. The adrenalin was pumping

I could not surpress the feeling that

I was in enemy territory. I was sur-rounded by North Vietnamese. The

shock of this after two decades was

fighting against Hanoil In the years since, I had stayed angry at the Hanoi government for a number of reasons: their mistreatment of the South Viet-

namese; their meanness on the POW-

MIA issue; their arrogance and in-tractability on everything to do with America: and the simple fact that

they had won the war. And yet, as I rode from the airport

with America, each tombstone bear-

through my body, and I felt the way to keep paint looking good, and this

is a desperately poor country. What I saw during the oext few days turned my thinking about Viet-nam upside down. We checked into the government guest house and were allowed to go where we wanted in the city. What happened to me, to put it in the simplest terms, was that f be-gan to see the Vietnamese as a people. My impressions of Hanoi were of an impoverished city, one drained of all resources by 50 years of war — a city too poor even to generate much trash. The North Vietnamese had fistrange and unexpected. "What the bell am I doing here?" I asked myself. I had lost my arm nally won their war, but at the expense of consuming practically everything they had. A true Pyrthic victory!

Their problems were compounded hy an economie policy which for the last 15 years had been, by their own

admission, a dismal failure. The signs of poverty were every-where. Women stood in line to buy a where, women stood in line to buy a single smear of lipstick; street ven-dors used hypodermic needles to re-fill ballpoint pens; fixing flat ures was a constant activity on the streets. There was very little soap in the country (which perhaps accounts for the gray drabness of the clothing). Cigarettes were sold one at a time. Practically no one had a watch, so they all seemed to depend on the hig clock on the main post office for telling time. What a sound it made

Not a bell but a gong. We often walked in the park observing the people and in turn being ob-served hy them. The kids were fascinated by my hook. They gathered around us, their faces full of curiosity I could see cemeteries, graveyards for the soldiers who died in the war and wonderment. They followed along until their parents called. ing a large red star. We crossed the Red River on the

1 was fascinated by the oumber of

fathers who had their children on outings or spins around the lake. I did not expect to see this from hard-core . Vietnamese. Maybe I hadn't imagined that these men I had hated for so long could love their children. That is what war does to us: It prevents us from seeing our enemies as buman beings. But there was a great deal of

Streets, sidewalks and huildings are in need of repair. None of the huild-ings were taller than the trees. In the tropical heat and humidity, the entire city looked faded. But it takes money it looked faded. But it takes money father squat by the edge and cool himself and his child with water he scooped up in his hands, and I was curious whether the water was clean. It

was filthy: cloudy with the look of sewage and run-off from the gutters. I learned later that malaria and other infectious diseases are rampant. throughout Vietnam. And I thought: The Vietnamese, my old enemies, suffer the afflictions that plague so much of the world — polio, typhoid, diarrhea, the whole host of microorganisms that inflict mankind.

### Because the Vietnamese are so poor, they lack the medicine to combat disease and infection. In one operating room we observed a 7-yearold girl with polio being prepared for surgery. There was no disinfectant on her skin or in the operating room and . there were no antibiotics. The infection rate in the operating rooms was more than 50 percent, we were told.

To put this in perspective, we were that. To put this in perspective, the inter-national standard which countries try to achieve is 3 percent. And I thought: this Vietnamese girl's mother and fa-ther don't love their child any less than I love my own two daughters.

The writer, author of two books on his experiences in Vietnam ("The Kill-ing Zone" and "Aftermath"), directs the Prosthetic and Sensory Aids Service at the Veterans Administration. He was awarded the Silver Star, four Purple Hearts, the Bronze Star, jou Purple Hearts, the Bronze Star for Valor and the Vietnamese Gold Cross of Gallantry. He contributed this com-ment to The Washington Post.

# 100, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

### 1888: Pope Meets Irish

ROME — Today [Feb. 1] Pope Leo XIII received 300 Irish pilgrims, among whom were three Archbish-ops and ten Bishops. His Holiness informed them that they would find guidance as to their future conduct in his letters to Cardinal McCabe. His Holiness added that the interests of religion as well as those of Ireland demanded a respect for law and on demanded a respect for law and ordemanded a respect for law and or-der. He urged his hearers to copy the example of the German Catholics and peacefully submit to the laws of the country in which they lived.

### 1913: Color for London

LONDON -- Next to the football matches, the chief sport in town yes-terday [Feb. 1] was dodging mud squelched up by the wheels of auto-vehicular traffic. Rain? Yes! There was enough and to spare. February

"flu" patients, but the latter will now the solution of the so bedecked with natural grown violets, mimosa, narcissus and daffodil, 13 tons of which arrived in London from France and the Channel Islands.

### 1938: No to Bombings

PARIS — Strongly denomining the bombardment of open cities from the air in Spain and the massacre of civil-ians, including women and children, Premier Camille Chautemps, in a statement [on Feb. 1], pledged the French onvertument's active minimum. Statement (on Feb. 1), pledged me French government's active support for the cessation of this inhuman practice. It is believed that the French government has already of-fered is good offices to the Barcelona and Salamanca governments for the conclusion of an agreement about air operations against open cities: M. Chautenps said: "The French gov ernment considers it an imperious made a good start toward breaking January's record for wet weather. duty to leave nothing undone to bring about an accord for the immediate duty to leave nothing undone to bring Doctors are doing good business with ceasation of such atrocities." 

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head of prosthetic services for the Veterans' Administration. My joh was to study the needs of disabled Vietnamese and see how we could help, particularly in the area of prosthetics. It was a trip that changed the way I think about Vietnam — and maybe about America.

seriously, like the woman in the sequined fur coat at Guy Laroche. If some are world class shoppers, many more are world-class browsers. "Just looking," they murmur on the most expensive street in the world.

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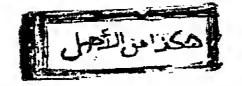
A Street for Dreamers

Something there is about a Bond Street berries) in its window that could turn rinsing or a Rodeo Drive or a Rue du Faubourg- socks into a spiritual experience.

Directeur de la publication: Walter N. Thaver.

maybe about America, too,

changed in this fand in 20 years. The women wore the same black pajamas and conical bats; bicycles still clogged the roads; water bulfalo toiled in the rice paddies; fish traps stood at every drainage point in the fields and ditches; children played alongside the road; adults squatted in the doorways of their dwellings. Here and there along the road,



# **OPINION**

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dicy. This requires reducing the means to do some re-the means to contras organized and trained by the CIA. But that vote will say much about the United States's right to view itself as a perceful nation dedicated to selfdetermination and the rule of law. President Ronald Reagan may call the cositras "freedom fighters," cheap-ening the meaning of language and the deeds of brave men and women elsewhere who honorably earned the name. Is fact, these forces do not represent a spontaneous internal uprising of enough Nicaraguans to sustain, over the years, a

guerrilla insurgency; and the point was ly unpopular steps: conceded last week by their representa-tives at cease-fire talks in Costa Rica. example with a debt income from which can-They said that the contras could not survive without further assistance from the United States, which means that they are not able, in the revolutionary pattern to which the world is accus-

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# Washington Has No Right To Keep Up Contra Aid

### By Tom Wicker

WASHINGTON - The outcome of the war in Nicaragua may not prevent relaxation of political and eco-nomic controls even if the Sandinists had be determined by the congressional vote this week on further and to the the will to ease them. They can block comonic improvement by kceping the country on a war footing. Above all, they can continue a war in which the killing. the maining, the destruction have al-ready reached shocking levels. They can, that is, if the United States

keeps on paying for such "successes." In the end, this war, financed by the Rea-gan administration and Congress, may even have its desired effect: some kind of end to the Sandinist control of the government of Nicaragua, some degree, of control by the contras instead. Will that, as advertised, mean popular

government and democracy? That the contras are the creatures of an outside power, that some share the dark history of the Somoza regime, that their efforts to take power have brought such havoc to their country, are reasons to doubt it.

Mr. Reagan and proponents of his policy seek to blind Congress and the people to the violence and death the tomed, to swim like fish in the sea of contra war brings to Nicaragua; most of the people. In all their years of U.S.the requested aid, they say, is "non-lethal." But anything that helps keep an army in the field is altimately lethal, not just a rifle but a contra in US-supplied sponsored warrare, the contras have never taken and held any significant towns or territory in Nicaragna. They are externally organized and externally clothing and boots, eating U.S.-supplied rations, killing Nicaraguans.

are externally organized and externally supported, for external purposes. Reporters and others familiar with events in that bleeding country testify to an intensification and spread of the fighting in recent months. But no one on Reports from Costa Rica disclose moreover, that when contra and Sandi-nist representatives met in pursuit of the ither side has suggested that the contras Arias peace plan, the contras made uncan win power on the battlefield, or oust the Sandinist regime in the direct mili-tary contest one side of which U.S. taxrealistic demands that are likely to prevent an end to the fighting. They de-manded full-scale political negotiations payers' dollars are financing. The contras can, however, make the Nicaragnan life more miserable than pov-

on major changes in the regime. What government negotiates away its power when it has not been defeated by superior force? The peace plan requires only a cease-fire and steps to reintegrate armed rebels into civilian life and politi-cal activity. The Sandinists, however re-inctantly, offered proposals to those ends.

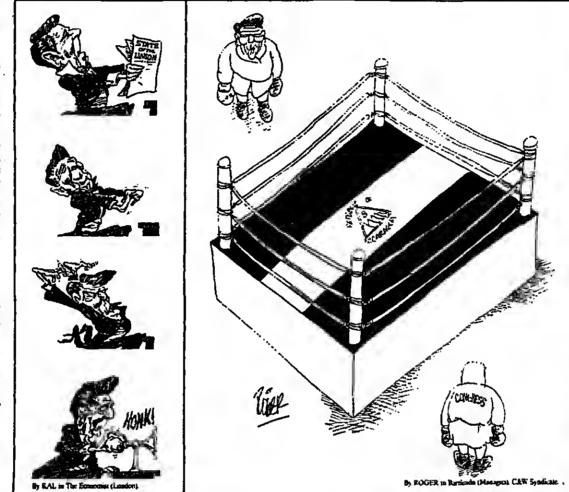
If the contras, backed by more money from Washington, insist on trying to negotiate what they have not been able to win on the battlefield, they will insist, in reality, on continuing the war. That is what the administration seems to want, and that is what Congress will assure if it approves more aid for the contras.

For what? To establish democracy? Why not in Chile or Paraguay or poor, tortured Haiti? To block a Soviet base in Central America? To stop Nicaraguan subversion of its neighbors? Either goal could be achieved without the contras, and by means that would be approved by the other nations of the hemisphere. No, this U.S.-sponsored war is de-signed to reassert U.S. dominance over

a sovereign nation in a region for too long regarded by Washington as its "back yard." No more than the Soviet Union in Afghanistan does the United States have the right to do that particularly by bloodshed and terror.

The New York Times.





# And Why, the Woman Asks, Is She So Tired All the Time?

### By J. Merrill-Foster

slightly forward from the waist. Her hands, swollen and misshapen with arthritis, have traceries of blue veins across the back. They are never still.

She often interrupts to ask what we are talking about. The telephone seems to confuse her; she thinks the ringing is on the television. She calls us to report that she has lost her Christmas card list. It turns up on ber desk, hidden under a

### MEANWHILE

pile of appeals. She is on every mailing list there is, and is constantly importuned to "Save the whales" and "Stop the Japanese slaughter of dolphins." She is frightened and distressed by

letters from retired military men. They write that unless she sends \$35 by return mail, the Russians will land in Oregon and take over America. The arrival of the daily mail looms large in her day. Once, every few weeks, it contains a personal letter. The rest is appeals and ads. She reads every item. Her checkbook is a constant puzzle of

missing entries and double deposits of retirement checks. She goes out on an errand and cannot find the place — a place she has frequented for years. She telephones to say the furnace door has exploded npen; the kindly re-pairman arrives at 10 P.M. to check and

assure her that all is well. She tells you about it, not because there is anything needing to be done. She tells you in nrder th make you understand that life is out of control -- that there is a conspiracy of inanimate objects afoot. Often, if

### Small Kindnesses

E LVA was in ber 80s. I was a trans-E plant from the city to the Ohio hills near West Virginia Elva, my near-est neighbor, a balf-mile away, had spent her life in this hollow, and she was determined to die bere.

I carried in Elva's coal and carried out the ashes, carried in the water, carried out the slop. She rolled out homemade noodles and dropped them into chicken broth. She baked me pies with the blackberries we had picked in July.

When I left for two weeks in January, another neighbor visited Elva every day. I returned one morning in early Febru-ary. As I rounded the last curve, I sucked in my breath. Two men were lifting a stretcher into a hearse waiting in Elva's driveway. That morning, Elva had caught the sleeve of her dressing gown on fire while making coffee.

Every time 1 pass Elva's house, 1 re-member that sometimes our small cfforts aren't enough. Still, it feels to me that out lives together are best built on the exchange of small kindnesses.

RUMNEY, New Hampshire - Her you suggest this or that solution, she is annoyed. She wasn't asking for a solution, merely reporting disaster. She sits down to read and falls asleep.

matrimony, for parenthood, for middle age, for retirement. But it prepares us not at all for old age. Busy and active until her 78th year, the woman, now 85, is frightened by her own loss of power. "Why am I so tired all the time?"

"I couldn't figure out how in turn on the dashboard lights."

I'm so cold," she says.

a stage, floating up a flight of stairs in "Arsenic and Old Lace," with that skilled power in her knees that made her seem to glide from one step to annther. I hear her speak and remember her light but lovely contrait singing Kati-

sha in "The Mikado."

binging to life the monster Grendel for a class of 16-year-olds. I remember late winter afternoons, fortified with hot co-cos, sitting on the floor at her feet, listen-ing to "The Ballad of the White Horse,"

I remember the summer jnbs when school was out, selling life insurance or encyclopedias, or studying remedial reading at New York University, I remember her as a bride the second time, and the second time a widow. Hers was the home the family came to, a place of books, a big,

There is some rage in aging - a disbe-bef that one's life has rounded its last curve and this stretch of road leads to death. She has always been a woman of strong faith, and it seems that faith at thoughts remain below; / Words with-

tional jousting that used to delight her.

J. Merrill-Foster, a writer who focuses

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Society prepares us for our first day at school, for adolescence, for college, for

"I look at the snow and wonder how I'll live through the winter."

"I think I must light the wood stove.

I do not see the woman as she is today. I look at her familiar face and see her on

I watch her sleeping in her chair, her head on her chest, and remember her pacing up and down an English class-room, reading aloud from Beowulf,

"Don Quixote" and "King Lear." I remember her as a young widow coming home from school and pulling three children through the snow on a sled

old house where civility was spoken.

last has failed her. She quntes Claudius in "Hamler": "My words fly up, my

out thoughts never to heaven go." Widowed, alone, children and grand-children flung wide from California to New England, she fills her days with little things. Socializing fatigues ber. She withdraws from the intense conversa-

I watch the woman - my mother --walking carefully down the frozen, snow-filled driveway to the mail box. She is a photograph in black and white, which only loving memory tints with stippled life and color.

the exchange of small kindnesses. mostly on country living, contributed this - Lady Borton in The New York Times.

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Hong Kong have no say on their status. The Chinese British declaration on the future of Hong Kong, signed in 1984, was negotiated between Beijing and London with barely any consideration of the wishes of Hong Kongs educated and well-informed 5.5 million people. Maybe if the people of Hong Kong could turn themselves into Caucasian sheep farmers before 1997, Mrs. Thatcher would lend an car

to their pleas for democracy. ALVARO MARTINEZ-FONTS.

## Hong Kong.

### An Old Trouper Still Serving

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## The East Would Have Gifts for the West in Return

Union, and what can they offer us?

erry and authoritarian government would

make it anyway. They can force the diver-sion of more of Nicaragan's limited re-sources to bullets and bombs. They can

F Congress flip-flops once again and votes against additional aid to the

Nicaragnan resistance, the hopes for a national dialogue that could eventually

lead to democracy and protect human rights in Nicaragua will be shattered.

Without the pressure exerted by the resistance. President Daniel Ortega

would not have made the concessions he

has already been forced to accept. And it he wins this congressional vote, he will never stop citing the bostile threat of opponents as an excuse to crack down-

on the Nicaraguan people and to engage in Soviet-sponsored military buildups.

The resistance provides the only realistic

hope of challenging Mr. Ortega's at-

tempts to walk away from his commit-

- Ernesto Polazio, representative in

ments under the peace plan.

**Necessary Contras** 

For any Westerner who has been able to visit the East Bloc, a few essential themes are evident. Economic growth is at a standstill, along with political and human rights development. But what also strikes a visitor is the discovery of a large sector of European-influenced people who have missed ont on consum-ensure and material growth for the past 43 years. Instead, these people value friends, family and education above everything, because these have been their only freedoms.

Yes, we should help Mikhail Gorbachev in his economic reforms, and possibly call it the second Marshall Plan. Not just for "more goods, more growth, more freedom —even the stirring of a democratic impulse," but also to open up the intellectual life of Eastern Europe

and the Soviet Union to the West. The United States and other Western coun-

wood (Jan. 22) defending Prime Minister Mar-garet Thatcher's rationale for war to reclaim the Faikland Islands: "Mrs. Thatcher has made it

In response to the New York Times editorial ries should closely monitor Soviet activities. If evidence shows that true changes continue in burnan, economic and political rights at home and in foreign policy abroad, then the West should conclude an economic package that would enable Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union to join the Western economic community. This would lead to the opening up of a rich intellectual environment that could provide constructive criticism for Westerners who have lost

touch with friends, family, political involvement and artistic education in pursuit of big salaries, television, good clothes and exotic vacations. If the Soviet Union opens up to economic growth and if more and more information begins

to flow between the West and the East, peoples that have been isolated since 1945 will soon have cties; it is time to move ahead.

H, HOWARD COOPER. Fontaine, Isere, France.

course, an old trouper, and has given us many Falklands but Not Hong Kong recent occasions to applaud his skills. It amused me to see the letter from L. All-E. FURNESS.

A Refreshing View of Haiti

Regarding "What Haitians Want Is to Do It Themselves " (Jan. 20) by Jonathan Power:

I have been reading the International Herald Tribune, among other newspapers, for 30 years, and this is the first time I have read something positive on Haiti. It is only fitting that I write and thank you for helping Haitians to lift their heads in pride. At a time when it has become fashionable to brand Haitians as a worthless, superstiuous lot, 1 admire your courage to say it isn't so. Hajtians are no less honest and industrious and no more superstitious than the rest of the world. S. HOFMANN.

Urdon, Switzerland,

Paris.

Muddled Thinking on Trade Regarding the opinion column "Trade Is a Batile That Must Be Fought" (Jan. 27) by Repre-sentative Richard A. Gephardt:

By his muddled thinking, Mr. Gephardt has done us the favor of removing himself from consideration as a potential presidential candi-date. He praises the U.S.-Canadian trade agree-ment as "evidence that bilateral negotiation to ment as "evidence that bilateral negotiation to ment as "evidence that bilateral negotiation to ment as "evidence that bilateral negotiation to baker rally — this time a mother and child remove protectionist barriers can and must be the cornerstone of an effective trade policy." Then he invents a body he calls "the Establishment," composed in part of "editorial writers," who are playing an (by implication) un-Ameri-can "game," and whose attitude is "that America has to write off whole industries; that our people cannot compete anymore; that we must lower our wages through foreign competition." This "Establishment" is responsible for devaluing the dollar "to the level of a Third World currency."

Mr. Gephardt is "proud to protect American workers and jobs" against these threats. In fact he is an uncompromising advocate of protec-tionism. He cites President Reagan's recent imposition of sanctions against Japan as an example of "economic leverage." Of course "trade is a battle that must be

The opinion column "When the Term's Up, It's Better to Go Gracefully" (Jan. 26) is wrong to call President Reagan an "old trooper," as a look at his military record would show. He is, of by government on behalf of industry. If U.S.

methiciently made, and overpriced at source. (How often does a European consumer deliberately buy an American product?) Problems begin when inefficient producers are protected and inefficient exporters are subsidized. GERARD MENUHIN.

London.

### **Cigarette Advertising Matters**

One does not expect an unbiased view of tobacco advertising bans from a tobacco compa-ny spokesman, and Philip Morris's Michael D. Horst has not surprised us (Letters, Jan. 26). He notes that tobacco consumption has risen in the Soviet Union despite the absence of adver-tising, and infers that advertising bans are useless. The valid inference is that advertising is not the sole factor in consumption - but who has thought otherwise? Wages in the Soviet Union have risen faster than the cost of cigarettes. You dn not need to look further for an explanation. The International Advertising Association may say that advertising bans are not followed by significant changes in consumption, but that does not warrant Mr. Horst's claim that "the simple fact is that advertising bans dn not work." Some advertising campaigns take many years in affect social attitudes; one would ex-

years in affect social attitudes; one would ex-pect a comparable delay when advertising car-ried out for scores of years suddenly ceases. As an undergraduate at Princeton, I was offered sample packs by students promoting cigarettes. Later I had a free packet with each "C" ration box while fighting forest fires in Alaska. These beloed promote a sense of legiti-macy of smoking. A ban on advertising mary of macy of smoking. A ban on advertising may not immediately affect consumption, but it can dn a int the undermine this sense of legitimacy. It is true that children are more influenced,

on many matters, by parents, siblings and friends than by advertising directly. But the advertising affects these athers over time. The crying shame is that tobacco companies have largeted Third World counties. At issue is

not just market share but encouragement of overall consumption. Families will suffer as breadwinners die prematurely. It is high time that pressure be put on tobacco companies to develop an advertising social conscience.

RANDAL MARLIN. Oxford, England.

If cigarette advertising has no effect on smok-ing, why is Mr. Horst so upset about it being banned? Art for art's sake?

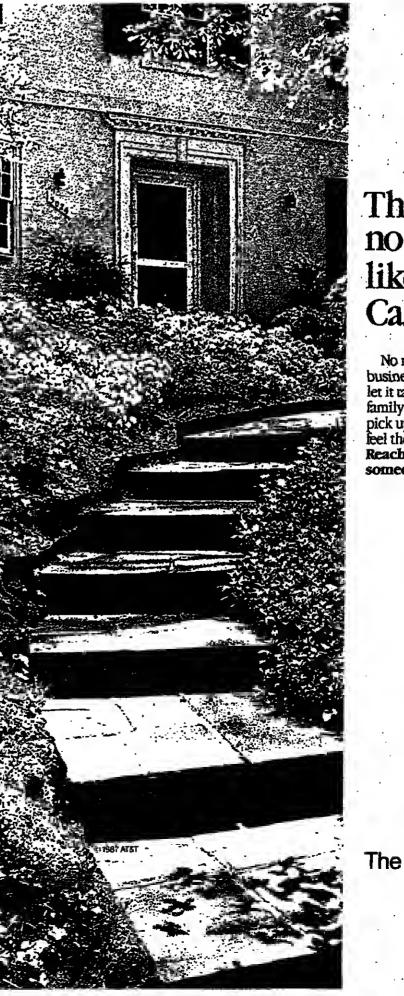
TEUVO LEHTI. Ger. France.

Two more tragic deaths in the 10th Paris-Dakar rally — this time a mother and child run over by a vehicle carrying photographers (*IHT*, Jan. 23). A few days earlier, a 10-year-old girl and two rally participants fell victim to this irresponsible circus. How many more lives must be least and formilian characteristic photometers. be lost and families shattered before the organizers decide to put a stop to this madness? Let rallyists seek their harebrained thrills elsewhere, without endangering innocent bystanders.

MONICA SCHAFER Merzhausen, West Germany.

## Must Reading Be a Luxury?

I am a voracious reader of books, for plea-sure and knowledge. I have to spend a lot on books, although I can't afford them. How will I buy books when I retire on a small pension? The decline of reading and the high cost of books should be of concern to UNESCO. A. MAWAZ. Kuala Lumpur.



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### Colombian Resolve Weakens as Battle Against Drug Barons Intensifies Koivisto Is month that there is little political or public support Short of

By Alan Riding New York Times Service

BOGOTA - Shaken by the murder of the attorney general last week, many influential Colombians have begun arguing that their country is paying too high a price for combating powerful drug traffickers.

President Virgilin Barco Vargas has ordered intensification of anti-drug efforts, but govern-ment officials say there is waning public support for a battle in which Colombians see themselves as providing most of the victims.

in some political circles, there is even growing sympathy for the idea of negotiating a truce with the so-called Medellin cartel of drug barons under which their crimes would be pardoned in exchange for dismantling their drug networks.

But while the governme thas rejected this idea as unacceptable to the international community, it has also signaled that, alone, Colombia can no innger confront the wealth and violence of the drug gangs.

The new drug crisis has coincided with an upsurge of leftist guerrilla activities that have includ-ed a series of bombings of an oil pipeline that crosses Colombia as well as many clashes with army units. In the past week 50 people were reported killed in these incidents.

The South Rises Again

Vietnam's Leader Appears to Build

A Political Base in Ho Chi Minh City

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Further, while many Colombians believe the country's troubles stem from its fight against the drug traffic, its democracy also is being subverted by the cartel's corruption and intimidation of Colombians also say the United States ngress, the judicial system, security forces and the press. One government official conceded that "our

olitical system has been terribly weakened" by the cocaine boom because "from the elites down to the grass roots, the mafia is tolerated out of fear or self-interest.

Yet, given the country's mood of demoraliza-tion, recent U.S. criocism of Colombia's anti-drug performance also has stirred a wave of anger and enument among officials who believe the United States could do more to curb demand for cocaine inside its own borders.

Colombia accounts for about 80 percent of the world's supply of cocaine, most of which is pro-cessed from coca paste and base smuggled in from Peru and Bolivia.

Although cocaine consumption is growing rap-idly in Western Europe, the United States is over-whelmingly the largest market for the drug.

the outskirts of Medellin, was the latest of several Narcotics Bureau. "We're supplying the dead, the extraditioo requests made by the United States dozen officials, judges, police officers and journal-ists killed since 1984 for challenging the drug getting?" Although more than 100 Colombians are want-

Mr. Bernal said the United States could assist

Many Colombians also say the United States indirectly shares responsibility for drug-related violence because the motive for many killings has been the Medellin cartel's fear of being extradited to face trial in the United States.

"As long as extradition continues to be seen as the solution to narcoties trafficking," Enrique Santos Calderón, a prominent newspaper columnist, wrote last week, "we cannot expect greater understanding from the United States in a war

that is ruining us materially and morally." But U.S. officials say that extradition has be-come the main anti-drug weapon because, in the past, major drug traffickers have been able to escape long prison terms by threatening or bribing local judges.

The Reagan administration was particularly in-censed Dec. 30 when a judge freed Jarge Luis Ochoa, a member of the Medellin cartel, after he had spent 39 days in jail oo minor driving and contraband charges.

The latest offensive by the Medellin cartel be-Attorney General Carlos Mauro Hoyos, who "We're being left to fight this war alone," said gan when the Barco administration issued fresh was killed apparently in a kidnapping attempt on Francisco Bernal, head of the attorney general's arrest warrants for the cartel in response to new

ed in the United States, the Reagan administration has asked for only five: Mr. Ochoa and his two brothers, Juan David and Fabio, who comprise the so-called Ochoa clan; Gonzaln Rodriguez Gacha, whose power has grown rapidly over the past two years; and Pabla Escobar Gavina, the undisputed head of the Medellin cartel.

Yet while the drug barons have reacted with alarm to the new U.S. demands for their extradi-

threats, the Supreme Court ruled that a 1979 extradition treaty between the United States and Colombia could no longer be applied because its implementing legislation was unconstitutinnal. By then, 13 Colombians and three non-Chlombians bad been extradited to the United States.

Aware that Congress would not confront the Medellin cartel by approving new legislation, the government began analyzing the possibility of applying either an 1888 extradition treaty or an inter-American accord of 1933 known as the Mon-

1888 treaty, it also has become apparent this than many fortunes here."

for a resumption of extraditions. Officials recognize that, in part, this reflects the extent to which drug money has penetrated the establishment, including the governing Liberal Party and the apposition Social Conservative Par-

But the officials stressed that, while the Medes lin cartel has successfully stirred opposition to the in cartel has successfully suffer opposition to the extradition treaty on nationalist grounds, the Uoited States also has contributed through the reprisals it ordered after Mr. Ochoa's release from

The measures, which involve long customs checks of people and products arriving from Colombia, brought a diplomatic protest from the

government. In Medellin, Cali and other towns and cities that in mederal, can and other towns and chies that are centers of drug trafficking, opposition to extra-dition runs still deeper because the cocaine barans often build homes, soccer stadiums and roads and provide welfare to the needy.

These guys are looked on as Robin Hoods,", nne official said

But while the Medellin cartel's immediate object. tive appears to be an end to all extraditions, it is also trying to work out a modus vivendi with the government that will enable it to live in security: "It wants a place in the sun," one official said But while the government favored using the "It wants a place in the sun," one official said. 1933 accord and the Supreme Court suggested the "It wants recognition that its money is no dirtier.

> Are Killed in South Africa

> > JOHANNESBURG - Nineteen Zulus were killed over the weekend in the political power struggle that has turned the rolling hills of Natal into South Africa's most violent area.

A police bulletin on Monday list ing the casualties gave few details, but witnesses linked the killings to. a drive by the Zulu Inkatha movement to gain control of several re-

ral townships. The rival United Democratic Front said Inkatha supporters with spears and clubs held a prayer rally in the township of Sweetwaters, where the police reported five

deaths. "My information is that people in the area were told to go to the meeting and that if they didn't they would be shot," said Peter Kerchhoff, head of a church group moni-

toring the violence. "There certainly appears to be a concerted effort by inkatha," he said. "They seem to be trying to regain ground." Inkatha, a 1.5-million-member concerted and by the Zuth

organization headed by the Znhi leader, Mangosuthu Buthelezi, has repeatedly denied it is provoking the violence but says it defends itself against United Democratic. Front intimidation The two anti-apartheid move-ments have long-been at logget heads, and there are fears that the feud in the Zulu heartland could

The murders put the unofficial January death toll at 108, the heavist monthly casualty total since the

"Zuhi war" began. About 400

The more radical United Demo-.

the south. Hanoi say was a struggle to the finish with party hard-liners, ap-pears to be building his political base here, rather than in the north. Foreign diplomats in Vietnam

nther candidates to a light for secand elsewhere in the regioo say it is too early to speculate about wheth-The main question in the lackluser this will lead to a general shift of authority to Ho Chi Minh City, the ter campaign was whether he would become the first Finnish president country's largest, most dynamic to win by direct election instead of and most developed area. being voted in by the electoral col-

year-old party leader. Nguyen Van Linh, who has worked for most of his life in the south and whose family still lives here, is counting on the region to lead an economic revival. He has said as much pub-

Mr. Linh, a northerner by birth, is also an experienced conciliator between northern and southern party members, according to for-mer Viet Cong officials who knew him when he was directing Hanoi's cut costs.

war in the south in the 1960s and 1970s. He also concentrated on studying and influencing American

As a member and then leader of the party's Central Office of South Tho. Mr. Tho is minister of the Vietnam, he specialized in propaganda, according to Truong Nhu Minh City and the brother of Le Tang, a founder of the southern Duc Tho, whom diplomats and Communists' National Liberation many Vietnamese regard as the fig-Front, who fled Vietnam in 1978. ure most opposed to Mr. Linh's

ways cantion. Political and financial analysts measuring the coun-try's new policies point to several recent developments that seem to demonstrate Mr. Linh's reliance on

Residents of Ho Chi Minh City, formerly the South Vietnamese capital of Saigon, say that over the last year Mr. Linh has formed use-ful alliances with newspaper edi-tors and local officials who are behind his program of cautiously opening the economic and political systems, trimming government bo-reaucracy and reducing widespread official corruption.

Several of these people say they were among those southern Comnumists who opposed the harsh treatment meted out to the region in the early years after the 1975 collapse of the Saigon government. It was in the south, at an international conference of Asia-Pacific

journalists last week, that Mr. Linh announced to the astonishment of some local editors that he was planning to restructure the central govemment to improve efficiency and

most if not all the people who were thought to be allied with Mai Chi

interior, a former mayor of Ho Chi In 1972, Mr. Linh instructed his pragmatic leadership.





But it seems evident that the 72-

**ISRAEL:** New Peace Plan

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Victory in

HELSINKI - President Mauno

Koivisto outpulled his opponents on Monday in the Finnish presi-dential election but fell just short of an outright victory by failing to gato 50 percent of the vote.

With 92 percent of the ballnts counted, Mr. Koivisto, a Social Democrat, had received 48.1 per-

His failure to win an overall ma-

jnrity meaot that the election

would be decided on Feb. 15 by a

301-member electoral college

whose members also were being

"I'm a little disappointed," Mr.

The results of the voting for the electoral college were still un-known, but analysts said it was

difficult to see Mr. Koivisto losing

Second in the voting, with 19.8 percent, was Paavn Vayrynen.

leader of the Center Party and a

former foreign minister. Prime Minister Harri Holkeri, a

Conservative, had 18.3 percent

with Kalevi Kivisto, a Socialist,

and Jouko Kajanoja, a Communist,

lagging with 10.4 percent and 1.4

perceot. Mr. Koivisto, 64, was elected in 1982 and has led Finland intn an

era of unprecedented economie prosperity and stable foreign rela-

A pre-electioo opinion poll

showed Mr. Kolvistn with 52 per-

cent of the vote, relegating the four

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Kolvisto said. "I was boping to go

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tween King Hussein of Jordan and Philip C. Habib, the retired U.S. diplomat and special envoy.

President Hosoi Mubarak of Egypt was in Washington last week, urging a peace effort. He is to meet with Hussein and other Arab leaders in the coming few days. politics.

The wave of unrest that gave rise to the U.S. initiative cootinued

and, if anything, stepped up. "Less than two mooths of rockthrowing accomplished more than the Arab world, with all its military might, was able to do in 20 years, and everybody knows this," said Maher Abu Khater, editor of the

ting, few politicians and government officials be-lieve they will be extradited in the unlikely event that they are arrested.

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East Germany Imprisons More Rights Activists

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Mr. Linh also is reported to have managed to remove from the party apparatus in Ho Chi Minh City

forces, some of whom had infiltrat- Le Duc Tho and Truong Chinh,

By Barbara Crossette New York Times Service HO CHI MINH CITY --- The eader of the Vietnamese Communist Party, who came to power a year ago after what diplomats in

Englisb-language weekly edition of Al Fair, the Arab daily. The mood in the streets," be

said, "is that if two months of protests gets America to press Shamir for Palestinian self-rule, than four months will bring a UN force and a year will see Israel pulling out in disgust as it did from Lebanon."

Defense Minister Yitzhak Rabin said nn fsraeli radio that the situation was cootinuing to worsen around Nablus. The city of some 100.000 residents was under total curfew, a ghost town of empty streets with goats grazing on the traffic islands.

The Palestinian Press Service said a score of Palestinians were wounded by gunfire oo Monday. The use of live ammunitioo has apparently increased markedly in the last few days, after a period in which the army relied oo a policy of widespread beatings.

There were also protests in Bethlehem on Monday mnrning, where the university opened for the first the university opened for the first the past three days, a government time since a closure order by the spokesman said Monday. Israeli military authorities before Christmas. The returning students promptly raised Palestinian flags, burned tires and stoned cars.

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ed U.S. organizations in Saigon, to who was the party's general secre-concentrate on running the credibilitary briefly after the death of Le ity of President Richard M. Nixon, Duan in August 1986. tried to Duan in August 1986, tried to block Mr. Linh's election as party "just as we did for Johnson in 1968." President Lyndon B. Johnchief until the eve of the Sixth Party son, under attack by the anti-war Congress in December 1986, Victnamese acknowledge. In a compromovement, chose not to seek remise, Le Duc Tho and Mr. Chinh election that year. became senior advisers to the par-In the still-secretive world of

Vietnamese Communism today, it ty, along with a former prime minis difficult to be certain of any ister, Pham Vam Dong, who has trend, foreigners in Vietnam al- withdrawn from public life.

BERLIN - East Germany imprisoned three more dissidents on Monday in a crackdown on unofficial peace and human rights groups.

The sentences brought to at least 11 the oumber of activists imprisoned since the police rounded up dozens of dissidents as they tried to latch on to an official parade two weeks ago.

Andreas Kalk, Bert Schlegel and Till Bottcher, at 17 the youngest of the three, were arrested on their way to the parade to com-memorate Rosa Luxemburg and Karl Liebknecht, Gennan revolutionaries who were murdered by fascists in 1919.

Bonn has criticized East Germany for the crackdown on dissidents and called for their release. The West Germany minister for inployment, drug abuse and homelessness.

ner-German relations, Dorothee Wilms, said in a weekend newspaper interview that Bonn regarded recent events as "wholly incompati-" ble with human rights agreements and treaties which East Germany itself has signed." East Germany has yet to answer this charge but has countered criticism in general with a series of press reports about problems in West German society; including unem-

cratic Front repeated charges -denied by the police — that whife authorities were siding with In-katha, which is more amenable to dialogue with Pretoria. Police reinforcements sent into the area a month ago have not

stemmed the killings, and media-tion efforts have stalled.

their identity worries many Kore-

neration -he is now 40 - knew

Reuters

blacks have now died.

# India Sends Troops to Quell Violence in Tripura PROTESTS: JAPAN: Barrier for Koreans

### By Sanjoy Hazarika New York Tinus Service

leftists are being challenged by Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi's NEW DELHI - The Indian Congress (I) Party. The commugovernment has sent thousands of nists have held power in Tripura paramilitary troops to the remote for 10 years. northeastern state of Tripura to

The increasing violence again combat separatist guerrillas who has focused official concern oo the have killed more than 80 people in unrest in the oortheast, where tribesmen worried nf beiog The government move took

swamped by larger lioguistic groups have launched as many as place oo the eve of a statewide three separate insurgencies in the electioo there and followed an uppast 30 years. surge of violence by the guerrillas,

Tn curb the dozens of killings whn are tribesmen fighting for an independent state. The violence has that are being reported almost evbeen directed against Bengali Hin-dus living in remote villages. dered the Indian Army in take watched as a test for the governing cootrol of the fight against the in-

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communists in the tiny state. The, surgents, who are members of an 50,000 refugees from the Chakma leftists are being challenged by organization called the Tripura Na- tribe from Bangladesh who have tional Volunteers. The group has been in Tripura for more than a been banned by the Gandhi government.

> But the move appeared to have had little effect in curbing the militant tribesmen who killed more than 70 people in the oext few days, and opposition critics blamed the deaths on a failure of the intelligence network.

> "They are very difficult in stop." said a Home Ministry official They strike at dead of night, they disappear quickly and they pick no isolated hamlets which are difficult tn reach." The situation has been compli-

cated by the presence of some

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Indian officials say that conditions are "still not right for their

safe return. The Home Ministry spokesman said that more than 9,000 security personnel have been transported in the last three days to Tripura to assist thousands of soldiers who were already there. Tripura has a record of sectarian

disturbances and massacres. In 1980, as many as 1,000 people are relieved to have died. The separatists say that they

want to oust the Bengali Hindus from their bomeland because a Bengali influx has destroyed their culture and reduced them to a mi-

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year. fleeing what they call atroc-ities by Bangladeshi soldiers. European activists more common goals to pursue while reducing the goals to pursue while reducing the risks of repression.

"All of us want to bring the dy-namic of reform to Eastern Europe as well as make a contribution to the pro-reform side in the struggle within the Soviet Union," said Miklos Haraszti, a leading Hungarian activist, in an interview last year. "For the first time there is the chance of a regionwide movement for reform rather than a process in just nne country like Czechoslovakia in 1968 and Poland in 1980."

While dissident grnups in Czechoslovakia, Hungary and Po-land have maintained loose contacts for a number of years, the communication gained new mo-mentum in late 1986. In October that year, a statement on the 30th anniversary of the Hungarian uprising was drawn up and signed by

(Continued from Page 1) band, Kim Chol Doo, tend their of a Korean pastor, hoped to be-come a kindergarten teacher. She plastic parts and toys for larger graduated near the top of her class

companies. Mrs. Choi kneels by a and waited to hear about openings. large machine, separating the plastic cutouts and stacking them in a box. She and her husband work Then one day her teacher called her in and advised her to seek work in Korean-run schools. If Japanese from 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., six days a kiodergartens, hired a Korean week. They take home about \$2,350 teacher, she explained, parents a month, slightly less than the avermight keep their children away. age pay for a Japanese family. Oth-

That was more than 25 years ago, ers are less fortunate; workers in the ubiquitous sandal-making but little has changed. Her own shops earn about \$315 a month daughter had the same experience. "My children did well in school," from piecework done at home.

she said. "I didn't want them to be For the most part, the Koreans ashamed of being Korean, and we in Ikuno are making do - of the gave them Korean names. But they nearly 40,000 people in the ward, just 1,610 are on welfare. That is always had to be careful not to speak Korean, or have a different kind of lunch in their lunchbox, nearly three times the rate for Japanese, according to the ward office. anything that might be a reason to As much as economic discrimination, the problem of preserving

tease them." Ikuno provides a kind of refuge. It is one of the very few ethnic oeighborhoods in Japan. Of the 160,000 people who live there, 38,525 are Korean.

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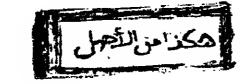
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By Bernadine Morris New York Tinnes Service TARIS - Clients at couture I mouses, where prices this season generally run to five figures, usually have a good collection of preclothes. Still, designers pay atten-tion to the accessories they choose at their openings to carry out the mood of their clothes. This season some of the accessories are memorable. Almost everyone noticed the flat metal carrings is the shape of doves that were wom with sailor hats and plain tailored suits at Yves Saint Lanrent. For evening, the same car-rings were shown in colored jewels.

**High Fashion Counterpoints** 

Mare Bohan's butterfly-shaped carrings were also noteworthy at Dior. Long drop earrings that guazed the shoulders were shown at most houses. High-heel pumps were the preailing shoe style, but T-strap san

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dals caught the eye at both the Saint Laurent and Givenchy show-ings. Some shoes had gold chains or straps repeating the metallic color-ing of belts and buttons. The Saint about handbags. Two exceptions provincial print dresses. this time were the abstract flat Laurent shoes were always black or navy, with patent leather soles and

A seashell hat by Christian Lacroix; bows and earrings set off Ricci's multicolored organza top. quilted bag with a chain handle has ed with his skinny calf-length tucked into classic hairdos and cirbecome part of the standard equip-ment, few designers bother much baskets Lacroix showed with his garlands and splashed over prints. The abundance of flowers contrib-

The star of the season was the uted to the pretty look of these shapes that Pierre Cardin present- flower, especially the rose. It was warm weather clothes.





Givenchy's T-strap sandal.

# utoslawski's Aleatoric 'Chain 2' tures tilted over one eye at Dior to huge cartwheels at Christian La-croix. While the House of Chanel

### By Donal Henahan New York Times Service

AT age 74, Witold Lutoslawski remains the most consistently interesting of the band of avantgardists who emerged from the social and political unheavals of Po-land after World War II. Like decoration are buttons and chains. ... many composers of his generation The chains often form a triple row from whatever country, he likes any guise. at the waistline of suits, and but\_ music made of angular lines, offcenter rhythms, systematic atonality and structural formulas.

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Dohnanyi, now in his fourth season as the Cleveland's music direc-tor, defuly led his splendid, wellwork's problems.

# **Reagan Gives Brown a Boost** As Designers Follow His Suits

By Nina Hyde Washington Post Service WASHINGTON -- One of the things President Ronald Rea-gan forgot to boast about in his

State of the Union message was his gift to the fashion industry. What Nancy Reagan has done for red in women's clothes, Ronald Reagan has done for brown in men's. You may not have noticed; it has happened slowly. Unlike the explosive phenomenon of Nancy Reagan and red, the influence of her hus-'band's brown suits has been gradu-al, percolating first through the

fashion crowd. Brown was a key color in the collections of Giorgio Armani and others shown earlier this month in Milan. Even Rei Kawakubo, the designer for Comme des Garçons who has rarely strayed from blacks and grays, has started to include brown for menswear.

The designers aren't just remak-ing the old Hollywood style the Brown blazer, sweater and president prefers. Their version of brown is different. There is a lot of green and black in the brown Presipresident, well, men do not play follow-the-leader in this instance." dent Reagan wears; the new brown is brown mixed with red and yellow, subtly striped or plaided with Brian Bubb, the new designer of manve, blue or even teal. Brown has surfaced partially as a Perry Ellis menswear, says be's us-

ing a lot of brown for next fall, response to the overdose of black particularly a multicolor like a bark brown, a shetland brown and even and the continual success of gray, says Armani. He hesitates to peg it a vicuna, "I've loved brown and to President Reagan. "It is not a direct influence," says Armani. "But President Reagan does dress in a bit of a retro style. I take off on blue even when the rest of the world was pushing bright colors," the 30-year-old designer said, "Brown was never supposed to be a the elegance of that style where power color, but maybe the president has changed that."

Ralph Lauren has always used brown tweeds for men. He rarely wears brown himself - "It just brown suede shoes worn with a more vintage look, like an old Gary Cooper Technicolor movie."

Although Calvin Klein says President Reagan always looks comfortable and elegant in his own special way," the designer does not believe one man can set trends in terms of color. "Navys and browns have always been men's colors," he

Bill Blass, who has made some of the best-looking clothes for Nancy Reagan, agrees. "Nancy made red prepared orchestra through the her official color and turned others on to red," said Blass, "But the

The new browns are compound colors, rather than flat single tones. he explains. The old brown was mixed with things like olive. "There is nothing more unattractive than olive next to the skin," insists Talbot. On the other hand, the new browns, mixed with red, turquoise and jade, for example, are extreme-

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ly flattering So far selling brown has not been easy. In fact, James Guerra, senior vice president for menswear for Raleighs and Garfinckels in Washington, thinks the talk about brown is more talk than reality. "It's a tough sell; most men prefer navy and gray." Guerra thinks there is almost a stigma about brown. "When I listened to a focus group in San Francisco while I was at Neiman-Marcus, I heard men say they would not be caught dead after 5 with a brown suit. Most men look great in tuxedos because black is so flattering. Brown isn't."

Brown blazer, sweater and At Britches, says President Rich-pants from Armani's collection. ard Hindin, "Brown is not, has not and will not be an important color for executives," He adds: "Below the threshold of consciousness, where human reactions take place. navy blue and dark gray evoke leadership, power of character, sincerity. And our customers, who are primarily executive, need those emotional reactions. Brown doesn't

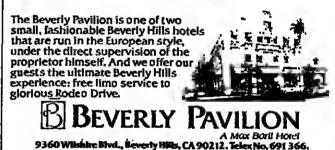
do it. Brown says 'boring,' " When several of his 1,500 stu-dents from the Pentagon, whom be coaches in preparing to move from a lifetime of uniforms into the color-conscious world of civilian careers, recently asked Hindin why

Chip Talbot thinks he has. Talthe president can wear brown and they can't, Hindin replied, "He's bot, fashion director of the Men's got a job and be's not running again

But Gene Pressman, executive vice president of Barney's in New York, says men with style wear whatever they think looks good, brown or otherwise."

And maybe, just maybe, President Reagan has made them feel that way.

### Among the riches of Beverly Hills, a little gem of a hotel.



in a chain: pitches and dynamic indications tended to be specified. The impression of chance under control was enhanced by periodic

The result was a compact, unbombastic, unboring violin concer-to that gave the soloist, Daniel Mahe said. jeske, constant opportunity to

show his impeccable musicianship as well as his virtuosity. "Chain 2" kept Majeske, the Cleveland Orchestra's concertmaster, busy almost every minute of its 15-minute way. Much of the time, he dealt easily with flowing figuration that looked on the page like something out of the Mendelssohn Concerto,

Majeske is not the type to overdramatize difficulties, however, so

Textures often had the economy and delicacy of chamber music, The repertory is not rich in playable, listenable 12-tone violin concertos, but there is just a chance that "Chain 2" could be that scarce article.

your president takes it seriously,"

blue striped suit. He tilts to a brown with ted in it — an "English brown," he calls it, "Brown comes and goes and you always sell a little." Some find it old-fashioned, antique, "but for me that's good," says Lauren, "Now we're into a

"We started to see a sign of it six years ago and it still continues," says Talbot, "Even John Molloy, author of the highly successful 'Dress for Success' books, now approves of brown."

Fashion Association, ties the renewed interest in brown directly to an increased awareness of the president's penchant for brown suits.

# NOTES ON A CENTURY

# **Qualified Optimism Characterizes Asian Centennial Conference**

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Should a realistic perspective on the future of the Asia Pacific region be weighted toward opti-mism or pessimism? This was a central question as over 40 speakers and some 300 participants gath-ered in Singapore late last year to discuss "Pacific 2000" at the second of the DHT's Centennial Conferences. (The first conference was held in Paris in April.)

The three days of meetings brought together leaders from nearly two dozen nations. Overall, the discussions took on a tone which was distinctly optimistic in its assessment of the region's fu-

At the opening session, Paul Wolfowitz, U.S. Ambassador to Indonesia and former Assistant Socretary of State for Asian and Pacific Affairs, noted that in Asia, perhaps more than in any other part of the world, people see the present as better than the past, and expect the future to be better than the present. But for that to happen, he said, several challenges must be met. On the economic front, Wolfowitz called for an adjustment "on both sides of the Pacific," stress-

ing that no Asian markets, with the exception of Singapore and Hong Kong, are as open as the U.S. market and that Asian countries best can fight American protectionism by opening their own doors to freer trade.

In Wolfowitz's view, the greatest threat to the stability of the region is the communist insurgen-cy in the Philippines. But internal political dilemmas also face other, more stable commiss. Touching on a major conference theme, Wolfowitz noted that "the free flow of information is an essential requirement for an efficiently functioning modern economy," adding his view that "as fears of instability recede, the restraints on the press

of instability receile, the restraints on the press must and will receile." Lee Kuari Yew, Singapore's prime minister, ar-gued that the exceptionally high levels of growth in Asia could continue in the years ahead, provid-in Asia could continue in the years ahead, provided that three conditions are met. First, the world

trading order must remain free and open. Second, the world must avoid pushing Japan with a more independent military and political posture, based on fears that the U.S. and Europe will never accept Japan "in the role of world banker and the world's most advanced technological nation.

Mr. Lee's third major worry was that unrest in the Philippines might force an American military withdrawal — with destabilizing effects through out the region.

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comomic growth "as their birthright." He also decried the lack of cohesion in U.S. po-licy to reduce the federal deficit, describing U.S. actions thus far as merely "a ritualistic war dance."

Acknowledging the central military and eco-nomic role of America in the postwar resurgence, Mr. Lee said that we are now moving into the "uncharied waters" of a multi-polar world. Can the U.S. be counted on to pay six percent of its GNP for the security costs of such a world, particularly when those it is protecting are growing faster economically?



Singapore Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew

took up a number of these same themes. He denied, for example, that the U.S. might soon slip behind Japan economically (pointing to areas such as computer software as fields in which America could hold a continuing advantage). And he described the debate over the U.S. budget deficit as a necessary testing of two respectable billosophies, arguing that a continued large defi-cit is not necessarily bad. Describing each of the current Presidential candidates with colorful capsulizations, Safire acknowledged that most of them would probably wind np scaling back on America's international role.

Other speakers raised a variety of other topics, from various national perspectives. Gennady Chuffrin, from the Institute of Oriental Studies in Moscow, stressed that the Soviet Union wanted to begin a much more interactive trading relationship with the nations of Asia, a true two-way street (though acknowledging that the convertibility of the ruble needed to be addressed if this was to

happen). Makoto Kuroda, a Vice Minister at Japan's Ministry of International Trade and Industry, said that his country was now moving quickly to encourage domestic demand, while also emphasizing more overseas investment and "over-

Singapore office added his economist's perspective to the trade discussions.

In a particularly spinited presentation, Dr. H. B. J. Habibie, the Minister of Technology in Indonesia, outlined his nation's strategy for entering the competitive world of high technology — especial-ly in fields such as aircraft production. Taking full advantage of a captive home market was one essential element in the approach. Two men who are widely mentioned as future

prime ministers of their countries spoke on the is-sprime ministers of t

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New York Times columnist William Safire Singapore and son of the present prime minister, ok up a number of these same themes. He dety in identifying and developing new leadership, argoing that in fragile countries the emergence of a strong opposition party would be a dangerous sign. Anwar Ibrahim, Minister of Education in Malaysia, contended that ethnic and religious di-visions require from governments a sophisticated blend of responsiveness and control, again put-ting great emphasis on the need for protecting na-

tional unity. Mrs. Solite Collas-Monsod, Secretary for Eco-nomic Planning in the Philippines, outlined the changes which have occurred in the Philippines under President Aquino, changes which she felt were not always adequately reported in the international press.

Senator John Button, the Australian Minister of Trade, described how his country had moved toward a more high-tech, diversified economy, away from dependence on basic commodities. He also described the importance of expanding tourism as a source of earnings in Australia. Terry Arcus, of the Hong Kong office of McKinsey and Company, presented that group's views on the in-terrelationship of new technologies and new manment techniques.

Another interesting panel featured Dennis Martin of Citibank in Singapore, Yoshio Terasawa of Nomura Securities in Tokyo, and David K. P. Li of the Bank of East Asia, all bringing their considerable expertise to bear in discussing the future of the financial industry in the region.

Other highlights included Professor Gregory and a first-hand account of dramatic political changes in China from Daniel Southerland,

and Jazar Motiwalla of the National University in Singapore led a tutorial concerning education. Mechai Viravaidya of Bangkok brought his considerable expertise on birth control to the session on population and social trends, a group also addressed by sociologist John Clammer of the Na-tional University of Singapore. In the security tutorial, Jusuf Wanandi of Indo-

nesia's Center for Strategic and International Studies, and Han Sun-Joo, a political scientist at Korea University, shared their special insights. Kaguo Nukazawa brought the perspective of Japan's Keidanren to the panel considering shifting consumer patterns, a group which also heard Ju-die Lannon of J. Walter Thompson analyze changes in the population profile. Sparking par-ticular interest was a session on the role of the press in developing societies. American columnist Richard Reeves presented the western point of view — which places great emphasis on press free-dom, while Jakob Oetama, editor of Kompass in Indonesia, spoke from an Asian perspective. The press panel was chaired by Michael Richardson, the IHT's editor for Asia, who also was responsible for much of the conference program planning, working with IHT conference director Susan Lubomirski

Several of the IHT's Centennial sponsors also made important presentations. They included: Dwight Jasmann, president and managing direc-tor of AT&T Communications Pacific Inc. of Hong Kong; Jean-Didier Blanchet, senior vice president-marketing, Air France; R. M. Piper, chairman and Chief executive, Sedgwick Asia Ltd.; Keith Tay, senior partner, KPMG Peat Marwick, Singapore; Max Heer, senior vice presi-dent, Swiss Bank Corporation; Georg Kugland, corporate executive director for personnel, Volkswagen A.G.; and Pierre Alain Blum, chairman, Montres Ebel. Other sponsors were Aerospatiale, Louis Vuitton, Mastercard International, Meri-dien Gestion S.A. and The Nomura Securities Company.

The two concluding speakers took opposite perspectives in summing up the sessions. Dr. Noordin Sopiee, director general of the Institute of Strategic and International Studies in Malaysia, said the Conference had been too optimistic. His own forecasts predict contracting growth and a world recession, and he fears that too little thought has been given to resulting regional consequences. Edward Streator, until recently the U.S. Ambassador to the OECD in Paris, said that he thought there was some reason for optimism, but that much more international cooperation was needed, since the U.S. could no longer singlehandedly "shift the ballast" of the world econo-

The Conference was widely covered by the Asian press and the issues raised received attention throughout the region. The International Herald Tribune is also publishing a summary of the Conference. Copies can be ordered from Jenni Bielenberg at The International Herald Tribune Conference Office, 63 Long Acre, London WC2E 9JH

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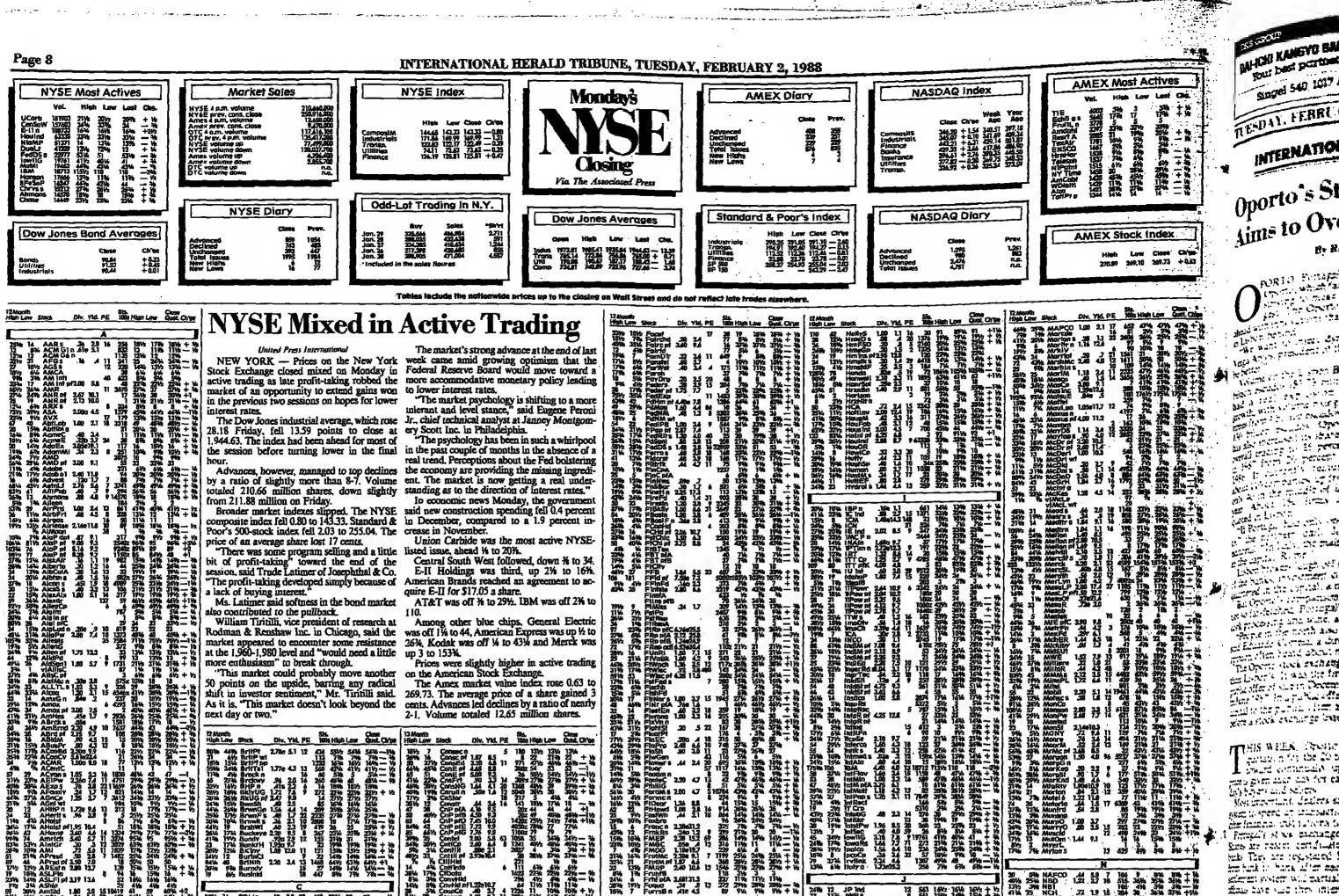
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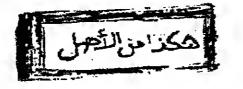
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# INTERNATIONAL STOCK MARKETS **Oporto's Stock Exchange** Aims to Overtake Lisbon's By REBECCA IRVIN

### Reiders

PORTO, Portugal - The northern industrial town of Oporto, which fancies itself as the Milan of Portugal, is striving to make its stock exchange the country's big-gest. The Oporto Bolsa is growing faster and pushing ahead with innovations that could leave its bigger sister exchange in Lisbon behind.

"We want to inject dynamism into the market," said João Veiga Anjos, president of the Oporto Bolsa, "And we're trying to be better."

Volume on the Lisbon Bolsa rose an impressive sixfold to 23g billion escudos (\$1.73 billion) last year from 1986. But Oporto had a real explosion of

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growth, with volume rising 14 times from 9 billion escudos to 130 billion escudos. Oporto thas also increased its share of overall trading to 35 percent in 1987 from 28 percent in 1986. It currently features about 110 companies, up from only 40 in the middle of last year. About 150 firms are guoted in Lisbon.

"If Portugal had only one stock exchange, it should be Opor-to," the northern daily Jornal de Noticias said in a recent editorial. "In Italy, the main stock exchange is in Milan and not in the capital, Rome." Lisbon brokers laugh off such talk, maintaining that with most

of the banks, investment companies and insurance firms headquartered in the capital, a market must exist in Lisbon.

But Oporto's comparison to Milan, Italy's business capital, is not so far-fetched. Portugal's biggest industries, such as textiles, cork processing and wine, are based in the north.

"People in the north also work harder, are more productive," said Eduardo Correia, a director of the Amorim cork group, an opinion often heard about north-south differences in Italy. The Oporto stock exchange has so far proved more innovative than Lisbon's. It was the first to introduce the highly successful poblic offer of sale in December 1986, a move followed by Lisbon in June 1987. In a public offer, a company sells part of its existing capital to the public, often as a way of diversifying shareholders before a stock exchange listing.

HIS WEEK, Oporto is beginning a second daily price quotation for the 20 top-traded shares. This is a first step toward continually updated prices. Currently, only one price is given each day for each share after brokers match up the day's buyers and sellers.

Most important, dealers say, Oporto has installed a computer system to speed up transactions. It is now waiting for banks and other financial institutions to link up.

Portugal's stock exchanges have outdated clearing systems. Shares are bearer certificates and are held in safe deposit in banks. They are registered by hand and transferred manually from bank to bank after each single transaction. Oporto's new settlement system will partially computerize this process. Lisbon officials have said they intend similar modernization measures but have set no firm dates for the changes.

Analysts say Oporto's innovative business outlook stems from its location in the center of Portugnese industry.

"The Oporto Bolsa is run by businessmen, while Lisbon is run by bureaucrats," said Belmiro de Azevedo, chairman of Portugal's largest-private holding company, Sonse, which has subsid-iaries listed on both markets.

"We're doing everything we can to overtake Lisbon," said

Signaled Move By Warren Getler International Herald Tribune LONDON — Britain's leading banks raised their base lending rates half a point to 9 percent Monday, after a signal by the Bank of England that it wanted rates to rise

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to counter inflationary pressures. The timing of the action, the first turnaround in the direction of British interest rates since Dec. 4, took

markets by surprise.

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gland cautioned that interest rates might need to rise to stem pressures on the economy from rising wages and prices.

Market expectations had been that base rates would remain coo-Benedetti, the Italian financier, be- 8 gan his attack from the south, Sostant at least uotil the publication of the government's budget on March 15. But shortly after midday gium's largest holding company, was forced to seek help from a neighbor to the north. Monday, the central hank made good on its hint and raised its deal-La Générale, as it is known, the

pillar of Belgium's French-speak-ing establishment, seemed to find ing rate to 9 percent from \$.375 The dealing rate, Britaio's ocaran unlikely ally in Gevaert NV, a t equivalent to the U.S. discount holding company in the Flemishspeaking part of Belgium. rate, is the rate at which the bank

buys bank bills to supply cash to While Générale's management the banking system. may first have viewed Gevaert as a Share prices fell hack on the white knight that could rescue it oews and the pound rose from early from foreign domination, many analysts now say that Gevaert might An early 16 point gain in the Financial Times-Stock Exchange prove to be a Trojan horse for René Lamy, Générale's chairman. 100-share index was crased, and

lodeed, some say that Mr. Lamy could experience only one worse the index closed at 1,776.9, down embarrassment than having a for-The pound, which opened sharpeigner assuming power over Génér-ale. That would be to have someone lower at \$1.7505 in London on Monday, recovered to close at \$1.7580, but was still down from \$1.7695 on Friday. In New York, the pound closed at \$1.7575, down from the Flemish-speaking part of the country - such as Andre Leysen, Gevaert's chairman - take control

from \$1.7660 on Friday. Leading commercial banks, led by Barclays Bank PLC, took the central hank's move as a general signal to raise their base rates. The base rate is an annual inter- said last week.

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André Leysen Carlo de Benedetti

# Société Générale's Uneasy Alliance

## Last Friday, the Bank of En- Is Belgian Giant's White Knight Really a Trojan Horse?

vowed to work to prevent a foreign-By Steven Greenhouse New York Times Service er from taking control of the com-BRUSSELS — When Carlo de pany that is synonymous with Beler from taking control of the com-

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cieté Générale de Belgique, Bel- group's conditions for purchasing most of a new capitalization issue, which would dilute Mr. de Benedetti's holdings, was for Générale

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ful and prominent executive. Like Mr. de Benedetti, Mr. Leysen says Générale sorely oeeds to bc modernized, which in the view

of Mr. Lamy. And Mr. Leysen, who has assem-bled a powerful group of investors, and French-speaking populations just might pull it off. "I am the Carlo de Benedetti of Flanders," he sen's role demonstrates the rapidly expanding economic power of the

While many of Belgium's newspapers have decried the idea of an Confederation of British Industry, an employers' group, criticized the rate increase. "Our main concern remains the competitiveness of British industry,

tative to the talks.

# **Seagram Offer Appears to End Martell Battle**

We have your inter

By Jacques Neher Special to the Herald Tribune PARIS - Seagram Co., the Canadian distiller, emerged Monday

as the apparent victor in the bid-ding war for Martell & Compagnie by raising its offer to 3,475 francs (\$615) a share for the world's second largest producer of cognac. The Martell board approved the offer Monday evening, calling Sea-gram "the best possible partner."

Seagram's offer for stock and convertible bonds values Martell at 5.25 billioo francs.

Trading of Martell stock was halted before the Paris Bourse opened Monday but was scheduled to resume Wednesday. The stock closed Friday at 3,170 francs, mdi-Mr. Leysen, considered one of cating skepticism that a new offer tor group would buy 12 million would be forthcoming from Sea-new shares in Generale — all of the gram. Early this year, Martell stock was trading around 1,500 francs.

Last Tuesday, the Martell board had accepted an offer of 3,300 crease the company's capitalization by almost 60 percent, survives a francs from Grand Metropolitan court challeoge, Mr. Leysen's PLC, the British food and beverage group would pay almost \$900 mil-lion to obtain about 34 percent of group that has been battling Sea-gram for Martell since December.

Now Grand Met, which said its last offer, made on Jan. 15, was "Now it seems clear that Generale de Belgique will be changed fundamentally — whether or not final, is in a position to realize a profit of up to 1 hillion francs from de Benedetti ever gets a controlling its defeat, analysis said. Seagram's oew bid, its third, was

interest," said Patrick Vermeulen, an analyst with Deway, Sebile Servais & Compagnie in Brussels. On Friday, Mr. Leysen suggest-ed that he and Mr. de Benedetti 5 percent higher than Grand Met's third offer and 17 percent greate than its own previous bid of 2,975 trancs a share, on made Jan. 11. talk. Some analysts said the men The stock portion of the Sea might join forces to improve Gengram bid represents a multiple of 43 times Martell's projected 1988 erale's undervalued stock price and

underperforming operations. "Let's accept the reality that there are two blocks of sharehold-ers." Mr. Leysen said. "Why not earnings of 116 million francs. "It's definitely all over," said Sylvain Massot, a food and beverage industry analyst at the Phillips collaborate to defend the interests & Drew stockhrokerage in London. of all shareholders, managers and lo addition to the 3,475 francs a

share offer in cash, Seagram said it He added, bowever, that he felt would pay 4,091 francs for 1977 conversible bonds and 3,823 francs there was a "need to anchor Société Générale's share holdings firmly in for 1985 convertible bonds. Edgar Bronfman Jr., Seagram's Belgian hands."

Negotiations on Sunday left dif-ferences unresolved, however. Mr. chairman, said the acquisition of Martell would have "major long-term strategic and financial bene-Leysen said the talks failed because Mr. de Benedetti wanted to stand fits for both companies." oo his own at the helm of Generale.

The French government last "That does not suit us," Mr. Leymonth gave its approval for either sen said, adding that Gevaert and company to purchase Martell, a its partners were not willing to accompany run since 1715 by the family that founded it. cept an infenor position. Mr. de Benedetti seni a represen-

The two companies have been attling for Martell since Dec. 16,

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given Seagram control. But the deal angered French stockbrokers and led to the intervention of Finance Mioister Edouard Balladur, who persuaded

Edouard Balladur, who persuaded Seagram to make a full tender of-fer, launching the bidding contest. On Jan. 25, Grand Met got the edge in the see-saw battle, follow-ing a vote hy the 51 members of the Martell family. At the time, Martell gave a lukewarm acceptance to Grand May's effect of the and on the Grand Met's offer after endorsing two earlier Seagram hids, saying it was "the highest offer to date."

Analysts theo characterized Martell's action as "an open letter" meant to solicit a counteroffer from Seagram. They noted that un-der French takeover rules, Martell could withdraw its tender in favor of a higher hidder through Feb. 9.

# **Philips Says Deal With GEC** Has Collapsed

EINDHOVEN, Nether-laods — Philips NV, the Dutch-based electrooics group, said Monday that currency fluctuations had torpedoed plans to merge its medi-cal operation with that of Britain's General Electric Co. Philips and GEC started talks in April over the merger of Philips's medical systems divisioo and GEC's U.S.based Picker International, On Nov. 30, Picker said, U.S. authorities cleared the merger. But oo Monday, Philips said, "Due particularly to flucmations in the exchange rate of the U.S. dollar, it has not proved possible to arrive at final terms acceptable to both parties,"

The transaction would have created one of the world's largest makers of medical imaging equipment, with 52 billion in

annual sales. It is the second time that Philips has announced the failure of a merger plan since Oc-tober's collapse of financial markets. On Dec. 2, Philips deal with Whirlpool Corp. to merge their household appliance activities.

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agree to give Flemish-speaking Belgians a greater role in the com-pany. If Mr. Leysen, 60, succeeds in

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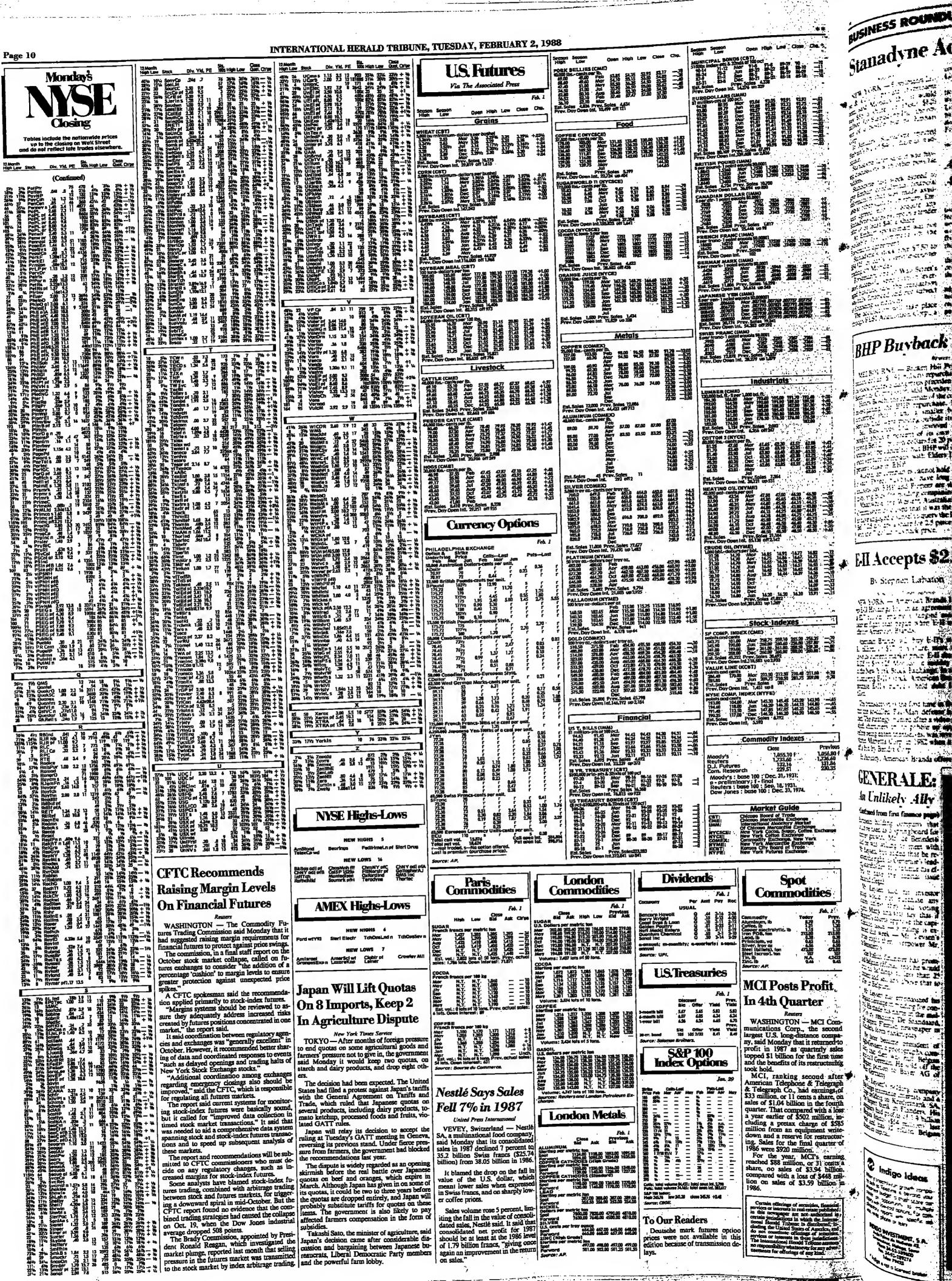
Belgium's most aggressive finan-ciers, said last week that the inves-Mr. Leysen said that one of his company's planned capitalization issue. If the issue, which would in-'I am the Carlo de the company.

Fernando Costa Lima, a bolsa official. "Our main problem is that most institutional investors are based in the capital." But Mr. Costa Lima said with the exchange's new computer,

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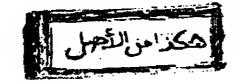
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Named to the board were

Paul Reichmann, senior exec-

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## **BUSINESS ROUNDUP**

### Stanadyne Accepts Forstmann Offer Santa Fe Picks

NEW YORK -- Forstmann Little & Co., a private investment firm, said Monday that it would pay \$55 a share, or about \$820 million, for Stanadyne Inc., the ob-

In January, Stanadyne rejected Embart's bid of \$40 a share as inad-Forstmann

ng discussions with other possible bidders.

hart igneed not to acquire any Standyne shares except in a tender offer of at least \$40 a share.

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Stanadyne last week agreed to give Emhart confidential financial formation that was made available to other suitors. In return, Em-

An Emhart spokesman was not available for comment on the

Forstmann, one of Wall Street's ceived no complaints from any of most successful specialists in lever-

the 18 other buyers of the aircraft. The spokesman, while acknowlis fully financed and not subject nanced and not subject edging that the planes might be "a g conditions. bit overweight," added that "we misition will take place reckon it would add less than 1 The acqu through FLSI Acquisition Corp., a percent to operating costs."

Securities Commission said Monday.

**BHP Buyback Is Probed** 

its stock creates a dangerons precedent, the National Companies and

Henry Bosch, the chairman of the commission, said his agency was

investigating the BHP repurchase. He said the commission was concerned that it and a smaller buyback by Pioneer Concrete

Services Ltd. were moving outside its control. Bell Resources Ltd. is involved in both repurchases. Pioneer

bought about 6 percent of its own stock from Bell, and BHP is paying Bell 2.1 billion dollars for 20 percent of its own capital. Those

joint venture company with Elders DXL Ltd. to control Elders' 19 percent stake in BHP.

Anstrahan companies cannot hold their own shares for more than year. Direct buybacks have long been accepted as illegal, but

analysts say BHP and Pioneer are skirting the letter of the law by involving bids for holding companies removed from the parent. Meanwhile, the Western Australian State Government Insurance

Commission disclosed that it was the institution reported on Friday

ares will be canceled, but BHP will invest a further 575 million in a

company formed by Forstmann Linie,

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that makes the plane waste fuel.

pleted, FLSI Acquisition will merge with Stanadyne, with any remaining shares converted into cash at the same price paid in the "As has always been our practice, the money for this transaction will come solely from Forstmann tender, the companies said. Little's own capital, supplemented by bank borrowings," said Theo-

Stanadyne agreed to pay Forst-mann o commitment fee of \$1.50 a dore Forstmann, general partner of share and to reimburse Forstmann for expenses of up to \$7 million if The tender offer is the first step in the transaction. After it is com-

the transaction is not completed under certain conditions, the companies said. "We are delighted to be able to achieve this excellent value for our A-320 Fuel Costs

shareholders," said George J. Mi-chel Jr., chairman and chief finan-cial officer of Stanadyne. Since 1978, Forstmann has ac PARIS - The Airbus consorquired 12 companies and resold 9. Its most notable resale was Dr Peptium on Monday rejected criticism from British Airways PLC that the new A-320 aircraft it has ordered per Co., a soft-drinks company, which it bought in 1984 for about would cost up to 9 percent more to By because of a weight problem \$650 million and resold in 1986 for \$416 million.

Stanadyne, based in Windsor, An Airbus spokesman said that Connecticut, makes plumbing products, valves for hydraulic the European consortium had reequipment, diesel-fuel injection mps and steel bars.

Stanadyne earned \$41.9 million, or \$2.90 a share, in 1987, adjusted for a three-for-two stock split, compared with \$21.1 million, or \$1.47 a share, in 1986.

# Norsk Data Says Sales Rose Last Year as Profit Plunged MELBOURNE - Broken Hill Pty's proposed 2.68 billion Australian dollar (\$1.91 billion) repurchase of more than 20 percent of

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# **E-II Accepts \$2.7 Billion Counterbid by American Brands**

### By Stephen Labaton

New York Times Service NEW YORK - American Brands Inc. will buy E-II Holdings Inc. in an agreement valued at \$2.7 billion, ending a tangled monthlong takeover light that began when E-II made an offer for American Brands.

American Brands will buy E-II's stock for \$1.1 billion or \$17,05 a share, more than \$2' above its current market price. E-II shares rose

share, or a total of \$2.4 billion including debt, percent stake in American Brands and would seek to nominate six candidates to its board.

The agreement was announced Sunday after negotiations between William J. Alley, chair-man of American Brands, and Donald P. Kelly, chairman of E-II. People close to the talks said American Brands raised, its bid to \$17,05 a share after it was informed that another company had made an offer for E-IL Neither the

Chicago-based E-II, a publicly traded spinfor E-II after E-II said it had bought a 4.74 off of Beatrice Cos., is named after Esmark Inc., the consumer products conglomerate that 
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In the present agreement, Mr. Kelly, 65, who formerly headed Beatrice Cos., has signed a standstill agreement under which he must not seek control of American Brands for 10 years.

# Acquisitions Expected to Pay Off in Electrolux Results

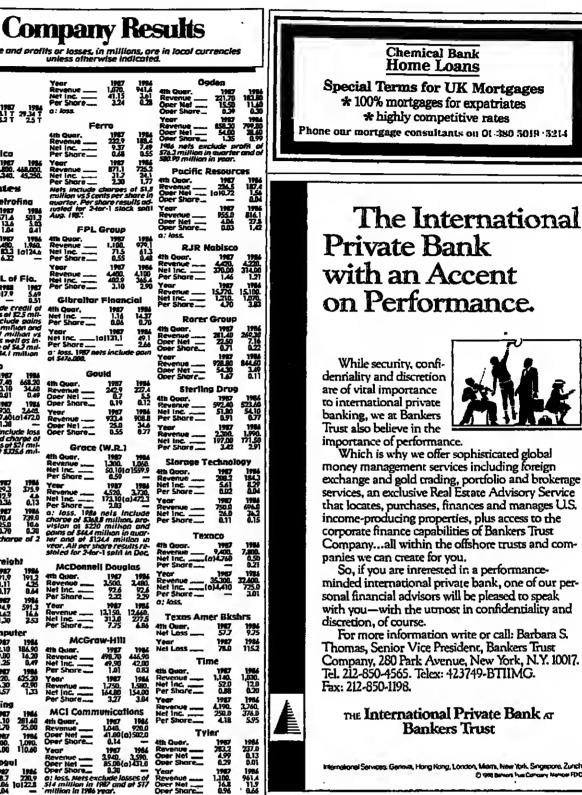
STOCKHOLM — After years of stagnation at Electrolux AB, analysts expect considerably higher sales and pretax profits when the home appliances giant publishes its results for 1987 on Tuesday. Restructuring and cost-cutting in Electrolux's newly acquired age firm.

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companies should be strongly re-flected, they say. "With something like 30 percent increase in profits on 1986." over three Freneb industrial kitch-en manufacturers, two Spanish ap-pliance makers and a U.S. dishof Electrolux's profits coming from the United States, the fail in the recent years. It bought the unprofdollar will obviously have some im-itable Italian company Zanussi pact," said Claes Vikbladh of War-SpA in 1984 and the U.S. appliance

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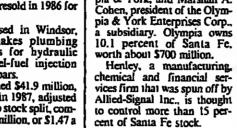


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Mr. Leysen said his investor group would not purchase any shares unless they had voting

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Mr. Leysen's holding company has large insurance interests and a large holding in Kredietbank SA, the largest bank in Flanders. His company had profits of 1.9 billion Belgian francs (\$54 million), last year and has 12 billion Belgian francs in capital.

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name of company nor its bid was disclosed. on the New York Stock Exchange. In addition to acquiring E-II's stock, American Brands will The sources also said that American Brands had been provided confidential information purchase E-II's publicly held debt for \$1.6

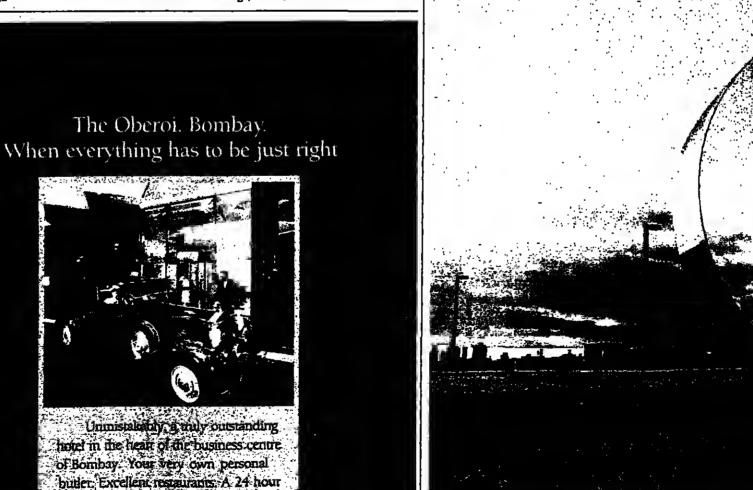
from E-II executives about the company's The transaction is the first time in five years that the so-called Pao-Man defense has been used. The strategy, named after a video game in which characters try to gobble up opponents before being eaten themselves, was invented by Martin Marietta Corp. in 1982 when it fended three-year projections. American Brands, which is based in Old Greenwich, Connecticut, is the corporate par-

bourbon, Master locks and Titleist golf equip-In January,-American Brands offered \$13 a ment

Mr. Kelly owns 3.4 million E-II shares and

options to buy shares, representing about 4.6 percent of the stock outstanding, according to papers filed last month with the Securities and change Commission.

Also as part of the agreement, American Brands has been given the option to buy back at ent of Franklin Life Insurance Co. and South-land Life Insurance Co., and makes products the market price the 7.1 million of its own that include Pall Mall cigarettes, Jim Beam shares held by E-II. Shares of American Brands closed Friday at \$46.75 on the New York Stock Exchange, down \$1.75.



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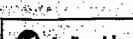
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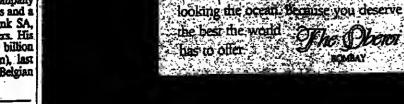


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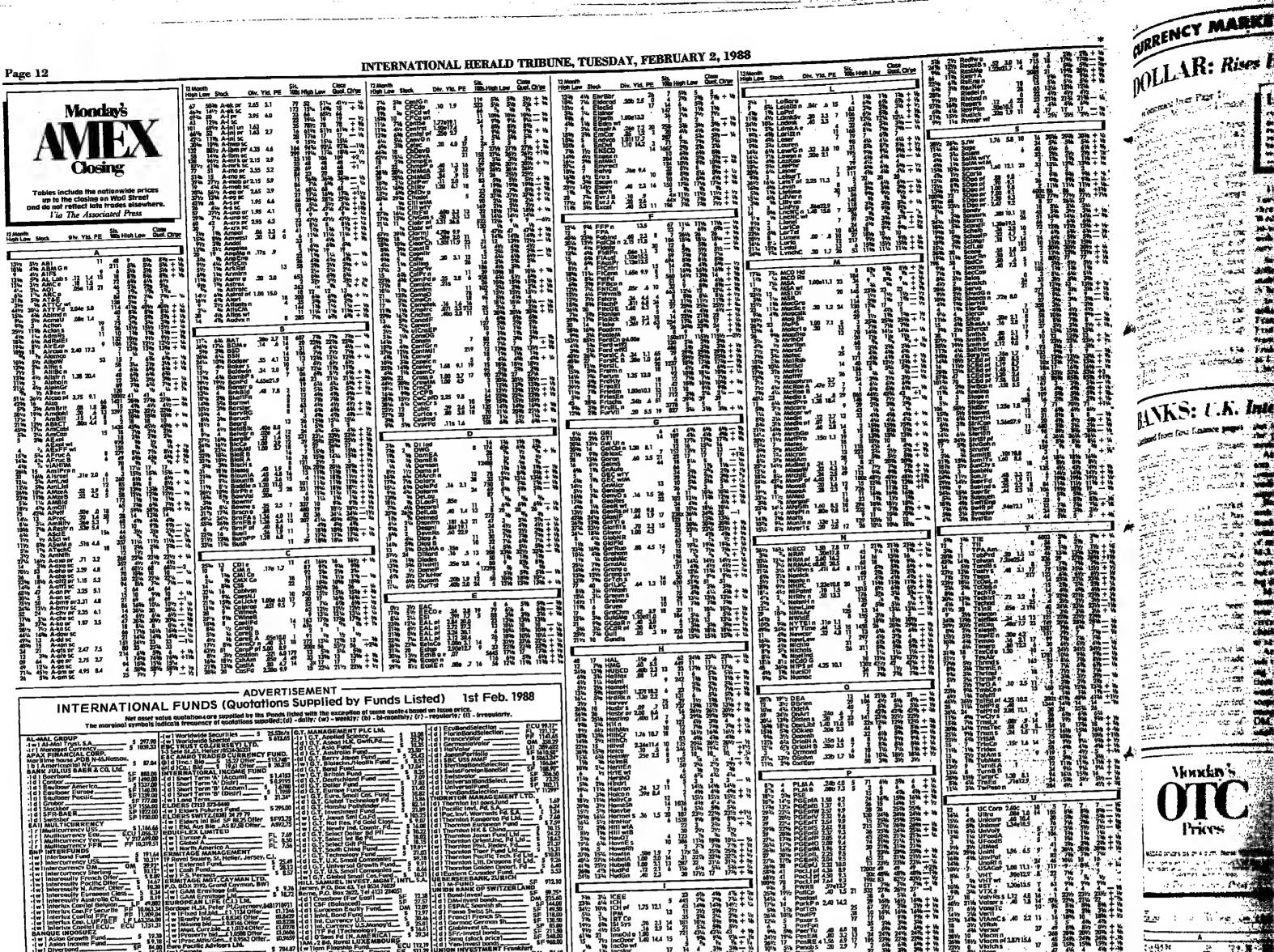
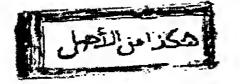


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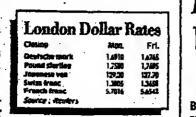
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pushed bond yields to their lowest levels in more than six months. In New York on Monday, bond

Statistics ni res, tone on manay, conn prices were nostly higher, extend-ing last week's rally. At midday, the Treasury's closely watched 30-year issue was trading at 105 16/32, up 8/32

The long bond surged about \$34 per \$1,000 between Wednesday and Finday last week.



The Treasury auctions start Tuesday with \$9.25 hillion of three-year notes, coolioue on Wedocsday with \$9 hillioo of 10-year notes and end Thursday with \$8.75 billion of 30-year Treasury bonds.

Several dealers also said that the dollar's advance was partly attrib-wable to the belief that the currency had hit bettom.

In earlier European tradiog, the dollar was fixed at 1.6911 DM in Frankfurt, up from 1.6759 DM on Friday: aod at 5.6965 Freoch francs in Paris, up from 5.6530 on Friday. In Zurich, the dollar close at 1.3835 Swiss francs, risiog from 1.3650 Friday.



By Nathaniel C. Nash New York Times Service WASHINGTON — A new proposal by the Federal Reserve Board to increase its bank capital requirements is based on the concept that some loans and other assets held by banks carry a higher risk than others.

Uotil now, Fed rules have required banks to hold an equal amount of capital against government securities and risky business loans. or capital against government securities and risky business loans. Moreover, as hig banks have accumulated billions of dollars in off-balance sheet obligations, which carry certain risks, they have oot had to set aside any safety cushion against possible losses. But last Wedgesday, the Fed announced a risk-based capital plan,

which it negotiated with the central banks of 11 other major industrial oations. The plan would require that the same levels of capital be held by all major world banks. Its proponents argue that it offers a more realistic assessment of modern banking risk. If the plan is approved, which almost all bankers expect, a bank's

assets would be weighted under several categories.

For example, loans to the private sector and cross-border claims on foreign governments and their businesses would carry a 100 percent weighting. This means that when the required total capital level for banks reaches 8 percent by the end of 1992, as planned, a bank will have to hold \$8 of capital for every \$100 of these loans. For certain cash items and short-term Treasury bills, banks would not need to hold any capital.

# U.K. Youth Training Plan: Hope but No Panacea

By Reginald Dale International Herald Tribune

LONDON - Jean, a 16-year-old schoolleaver, wants to be a secretary at a big London company. For the past seven months she has been enrolled in the Youth Training Scheme, a government-funded program based in an old Victorian schoolhouse near Waterloo station.

hoping to acquire the necessary skills. "It's all right — quite good, really," she said of the program, which Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's Conservative government has adjusted as a manuar government has claimed as a major success story in its battle against unemployment, now at 9.4 percent and falling. But Jean still has some way to go.

According to one of her supervisors, she is in rouble with the police, which has meant spend-ing a lot of time with lawyers, and she appears to have been enrolled inadvertently in the wrong course at the center - one for aspiring sales assistants, not office workers.

During a brief sunt as a temporary receptionist, she had what was described politely as "a time-keeping prohlem." Sometimes, says Louise Milicevic, a coordinator at the training center, looking after her young protégés is "a bit like being a social worker." The center's 200 trainees, two-thirds of them

from ethnic minorities, come mainly from areas of South London that have missed out on much on the country's current economic boom. But the chances are good that Jean and her fellow students ultimately will find work.

said Harry Hollingsworth, a training consultant at the London Chamber of Commerce, which owns the center.

Jean is one of the more than 400,000 schoolleavers, age 16 and 17, now enrolled in Youth Training Scheme projects nationwide, at a cost to taxpayers of more than £1 billiop (\$1.77 billion) a year.

Last year, according to the government, "74 percent of young people leaving YTS went into work or further education and training." With about 600,000 school-leavers entering the labor market in 1987, the government says the program is increasingly being used by employers as the major method of recruiting young people. All 16- and 17-year-old school-leavers are guaranteed admissioo to the program.

But the scheme has its critics. A recent stody by the Cambridge University Department of Applied Economics found that the program does improve employment prospects for trainees but that many trainces "are being trained for skills which are not in general short supply." This was particularly true of trainees in re-nailing (25 percent of the total), hotels (7 per-cent) and the clerical sector (10 percent).

Last month, the National Institute of Economic and Social Research, an independent group, said that drastic improvements were needed in British youth training to catch up with programs in other European countries.

Eighty to 90 percent of this center's trainees will "For the vast majority of YTS entrants," it said in a report, "the best that can be hoped for from present policies in Britain is a form of semiskilled operator training. At the Waterloo center, which specializes in

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retailing and office work, induction starts at a basic level. Many beginning stodents, said Mr. Hollingsworth, "cannot answer the phone, take a message, carry out a conversation or write a curriculum vitae."

In the first four weeks, they are also taught "urban orientation" — how to get around Lon-don by bus and subway — and are introduced to the workings of the savings accounts that the center opens for each new traince.

lo the first year, two-year trainees receive a modest £28.50 a week, rising to £35.00 in the second year, plus a travel allowance. It is marginally more than they would get from unemployment benefits.

A two-year traince spends a total of 20 weeks at the center, interspersed with periods of work experience provided by employers participating in the program. The center's coordinators keep track of trainees in the work place, to see how they are faring and to ensure that they are not being exploited as cheap labor, a major criticism of an earlier government youth program.

The government is about to put pressure on more young people to join the youth program by ending unemployment benefits for most school-leavers who do not join YTS or go to college or the equivalent.

### BANKS: U.K. Interest Rates Rise BRITAIN: Prosperity Arrives in the South, but Analysts Say It Stands on a Fragile Base

### (Confinned from first finance page) .

vestment gap," between Britain and its trading partners, he said. He said the rate rise would in-crease British industry's costs by £125 million (about \$220 million) a vear.

Since the Oct. 19 stock market slump, the Bank of England has engineered three reductions in the base rate. Rates were cut half a point to 9.5 percent on Oct. 26, again on Nov. 5, to 9 percent, and a further half point to 8.5 percent on Dec. 4, in an attempt to keep the resurgent British ecocomy on track.

But recently there have been signs of wage inflation in both the manufacturing and public service sectors.

Also undermining confidence in the economy were last week's tradefigures, which showed Britain's worst annual deficit in the current account since 1974, at £2.69 billion.

The trade figures also suggested scope to raise rates without threatthat Britain would generate a cur-rent account deficit this year of DM, which is seen as the bank's spreading northward and has al-more than £5 billion, which could unofficial ceiling for the pound. lands.

put strong downward pressure oo the pound over the oext several mooths, analysis said.

Analysts also noted that investors were becoming increasingly concerned about the rate of bank lending and the level of moneysupply growth.

Brendan Brown, chief economist in a broad review of its economic policy in an effort to broaden its with County Natwest Investment Bank, said: "The base rate rise has appeal after losing the last three come in response to the rapid rate general elections. The review is far from complete. of money growth, as measured by M-3, of 23 percent year-on-year, But the party's chief economic spokesman, John Smith, makes no fears about wage-inflation getting

secret of his wish that the new poout of control and concern over the licy should include strong measures big deficit in the trade balance." M-3 is the broadest measure of help the regions outside the money supply, and includes large Southeast.

time deposits as well as currency in Last June, in the view of many circulation, traveler's checks, analysts, Labor lacked a coherent economic policy. It was unable to checking deposits, and such things persuade voters that the economy as savings and small time deposits. Analysis suggested that as a rewas in trouble at a time when much sult of the pound's recent weakenof the country clearly was prospering against the Deutsche mark, ing and overall unemployment was declining from around 3 DM to 2.96 late last week, the Bank of England had The Conservatives argued, and

still maintain, that prosperity is spreading northward and has al-

(Continued from Page 1) Officials at the Confederation of majority of voters and consoluen- British Industry, the employers' cies are to be found in the South, federation, say that is largely true, and they must be won if Labor is to New industrial developments and for the source of form a government again," a recent businesses are moving up the East Coast and stretching out from the Southeast into the less favored Fabian Society pamphlet says. The Labor Party is now engaged

Southwest, they say. John Caff, a senior official of the CBI, supports the government consection that a new spirit of optimism is pervading British iodustry.

"There is a confidence that we can improve performance," Mr. Caff said, "and on the whole, com-

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mist at American Express Bank in preparing for the future by invest-London, agrees that "making a ing in oew plant, training and reprofit is now more respectable search. and that attitudes toward work

"When we led the world, we did so because we mainly led in high Andrew Britton, director of the technology," Mr. Britton said. "It National Institute of Economic would be surprising, in view of our national characteristics, if we were and Social Research, a leading independent research and forecasting group, was less sanguine. "Hard to top the growth league in the 21st century, oot hy high technology, work is becoming more of a vir-ue," he said, "but I don't know to but by low technology backed up

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Seen in London LONDON - Up to 10,000

of the 90,000 people who work in London's securities industry could lose their jobs this year because of the October stock collapse, Rhiappoo Chapman, head of personnel at the Loodoo Stock Ex-

Huge Job Cuts

change, said Monday. Fioace firms have cut

about 1,500 jobs since October. according to industry estimates. Many more jobs will go because competitioo is becom-ing extremely fierce and profit margins are shrinking, Ms. Chapman said, according to

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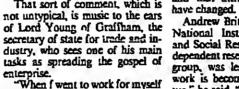
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# BOOKS INVENTING AMERICAN BROAD-CASTING, 1899-1922

By Susan J. Douglas. 363 pages. \$29.50. The Johns Hopkins University Press, Baltimore, Md. 21218.

### Reviewed by Kenneth Bilby

T HIS is not, as its title suggests, primarily a story about American broadcasting. It is 1 story about American broadcasting. It is far more a history of the early age of wireless communications and its panoramic emergence as a global service. Its heroes are inventor-scientists — Heinrich Hertz of Germany, Gug-lielmo Marconi of Italy. Reginald Fessenden of Canada, Lee De Forest of the United States. Its medators are commute monopolists and of Canada, Lee De Forest of the Omited States. Its predators are corporate monopolists and oligopolists who sought to convert wireless communications into a profit-making service, and largely succeeded. The story ends in 1922, just when American radio was beginning a galvanic surge across the nation.

This caveat aside, Professor Susan Douglas ims caveat aside, Professor Susan Dougras of Hampshire College has succeeded in fash-ioning a superb portrait of the communica-tions revolution that profoundly altered 20thcentury life. It is meticalously researched and documented; and to scholars of the wireless era, to college students of communications, her work will provide fresh insights, and perhaps generate considerable controversy. In a sense, she has written a revisionist history.

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Ultimately he failed, the author asserts, be-cause of limited technical vision. Other scien-tists made his system of Morse code dots and dashes obsolete. Fessenden's invention of con-tinuous wave transmission permitted music and the human voice to be borne on the arwaves. De Forest and E.H. Armstrong ampliwaves. De Porest and F.H. Armsmong ampli-fied the transmitting and receiving power of wireless signals, thus permitting radio broad-casting to eclipse Marcour's original point-to-point wireless concept. The story of these early 20th-century years of technical ferment, and of the emasculation

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Kenneth Billoy, the retired executive vice presi-dent of RCA, is the author of "The General: David Sarnoff and the Rise of Mass Communicotions." He wrote this review for The Washington Post. · · · · · · · · ·

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By Robert Byrne T WO Soviet players cap tured the top places in the 1988 European Junior Champi-BxP, 12 Q-R5, P-N3; 13 Q-R3, onship in Arnhem, the Nether-gold medal with an 11½-1½ score, a half-point ahead of the silver medalist, Vassily Ivan-by Romero Holmes and Félix Lzeta in the 1987 Andorra Zon-al Tournament, White got a dangerous attack after 11 PzN, BxP, 12 Q-R5, P-N3; 13 Q-R3, ONShip in Arnhem, the Nether-POB4; 14 B-N51?, QrB; 15 Lands. Boris Gelfand won the score, a half-point ahead of the silver medalist, Vassily Ivan-a 15-year-old idea of his counsilver medalist, Vassily Ivan-chuk, an international master who was last year's winner. The bronze medalist in the 13 P-K4, reireat with 13.

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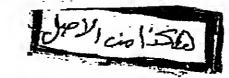
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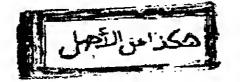
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By Christine Brennan Washington Post Service

SAN DIEGO - There was Doug Williams with a burn knee, a tooth-There was notice Timery Smith, starting his first National Football League game and winding up as the first man to rush for 200 yards in a Smith and wide receiver Ricky Super Bowl. And there was a defense that quickly figured out the magic that used to he John Elway and an offensive line that played the Sanders both broke Super Bowl records. Smith, a surprise starter in place of George Rogers because Coach Joe Gibbs wanted to go with game of its collective life. .

a quicker, breakaway back, gained 204 yards on 22 carries. He scored But most of all, there was the coold quarter. With the most stamming 15-mintwo touchdowns, one on a 58-yard with the most stamming 13-man-two bacadowins, one of a 3-3-yard ute offensive display in playoff his-rorn in the second quarter, and tory, the Washington Rediskins up-erased a mark that is particularly set the Denver Broacos, 42-10, to sufficient the Redskins. The last win Super Bowl XXII here Sunday. The Washington was in a Super As the bed to a server server.

set the Denver Broacos, 42-10, io win Super Bowl XXII here Sunday. As they had done so many times Bowl, it lost to Los Angeles, 38-9, this season, the Redskins came when Raider running back Marcus Allen gained 191 yards. from behind to win. But they never had a comeback like Sunday's. Sanders caught two TD passes in

With two minutes left to play, said after a Super Bowl record 340-John Elway knew only too well yard passing performance that ineffective team. Elway completed that his magic had been decoded. earned him the game's most valu-only 14 of 38 passes. He was sacked

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and came back with a limp, but threw four scoring passes and led his team to a championship record 602 yards of total offense. Smith and wide receiver Ricky Smith and wide receiver Ricky they did recover the ball - and held the Bronco lead to 10. Then, in an astonishing second period, they scored five touchdowns to take a 35-10 halftime lead. After hyperextending his left knee

late in the first quarter. Williams threw four touchdown passes and handed off 10 Smith for a fifth in his dazzling second period. He started with the 80-yard bomb to Sanders; then came a 17-yarder to a diving Gary Clark. Smith's 58-yard tight-rope down the right sideline was next, followed by a 50-yard TD re-ception by Sanders. Tight end Clint

Didier's eight-yard touchdown catch ended the explosion. Meanwhile, the Washington defense, totally confused in Denver's first two series, changed shoes - no joke - and ruined Elway's poten-

after Elway put 10 points on the board in four minutes, and stopped the Broncos the rest of the way. How could the first six minutes in came Jay Schroeder, who was of a game look so different from the sacked for a loss of eight yards by

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The numbers are startling. They ran 20 plays in the first quarter and gained 63 yards; they ran 17 plays in the second period and gained 356 — an average of almost 21 yards per play. Williams was 9-of-11 for 228 yards in the quarter. The Redstine 12:59 remaining and scored in 2:44 on Clark's catch on a third-

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By Frank Litsky

He joined the Redskins with a reputation as a good outside runner. Rogers is a veteran who runs best hetween the tackles. Smith had been playing more and SAN DIEGO — The Washington Redskin starters were about to be introduced before Super Bowl XXII more in recent games, and after Rogers nicked an ankle in practice last week the Washington coaching staff decided to go with Smith. It turned out to be a wise decision.

Bob Galbraith/The Am

Smith did his best running bere on a basic Redskin play - a counter trap - wherein be follows a pulling guard and tackle, slices off tackle, then maneuvers according to where the defense is,

Everything is based on quickness, and Smith is quicker than Rogers.

"What Timmy Smith gives us is speed, plain and simple," said Jeff Bostic, the Redskin center.

"We run that play so well," said R.C. Thielemann, a guard, "and they couldn't stop it. Timmy seems to fit our one-back mold. He's going to be phenomenal."

At halftime, Smith had 131 yards, and the Redskins started talking about getting him the record. It was heady stuff for a rookie who didn't know he would be in the game that early. A year ago, he hadn't even known whether he had a pro career ahead.

"After those injuries in college," he said, "you go down two years in a row and you're thinking that he did wrong. My parents encouraged me and told me what to do to come back. They told me to start "You work so hard to get back, and you finally get a

After quickly falling behind, 10-0, Washington exploded for five ering 80 and 50 yards — and fin-touchdowns in 18 second-quarter ished with nine catches for 193 plays. The Redskins' 35 points yards, eclipsing Lynn Swann's Su-were the most scored in a quarter in per Bowl record. playoff history, and their six touch-downs were the most ever by a their byes on offense. But more "We never let down," Williams subtly, the defense turned Elway and his cool and collected offense team in a Super Bowl. SCOREBOARD Football Basketball NFL Championship U.S. College Standings Ationtic Coast Conference Confere Ct AllGame Conference AliConness W L PCI. W L PCT. 3 1,750 13 2 467 4 2 467 11 9 550 3 2 467 11 9 550 3 2 460 12 4 750 3 3 500 10 6 425 2 2 400 14 5 737 2 5 506 4 7 10 412 1 4 200 11 6 407

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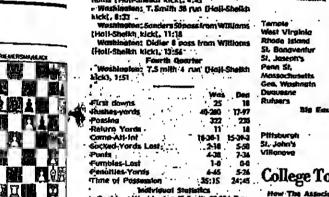
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The Redskins were hapless in the when Elway tried a quarterback draw, a play he scored on against Washington in a 1986 regular-sea-son game, bu Dave Butz stopped him for a one-yard loss, forcing the Broncos to settle for the field goal. On the ensuing kickoff, Sanders fumbled on a tackle by Ken Bell.

When everyone was peeled off the massive pile-up, Washington's Rav-in Caldwell was holding the ball at the Redskin 16. That was the turning point: Had Denver taken over, it could have controlled the game.

There was one other telling moment in the first quarter. On first down at the Washington 30. Elway looked over the defense and abruptly called time. It wasn't clear what he saw, but the time-out was followed by two incompletions, a near-interception by Wilburn and itally glorious day. The Reiskins an 18-yard sack by strong safety switched to shoes with longer cleats Alvin Walton, forcing a punt. On the next Redskin series, Wil-

liams was injured when he slipped setting up to pass and was tackled. 15 minutes of the second quarter? Karl Mecklenburg and then threw How could the Redskins slip and slide and fall for most of the first

quarter, then right themselves for their most impressive offensive outburst ever? But then the second quarter started. The 80-yard pass to Sand-ers came on the Washington's first Timmy Smith, who gained 204 yards and scored twice, left Jim Ryan cross-footed on this first-period carry.

**Smith: Running Part of the Equation** 

After Karlis missed a 43-yard field goal attempt with 7:23 left, it when Don Breaux, who coaches the running backs, look two plays for Washington to walked over to Timmy Smith, his prize rookie. look two plays for Washington to

knew if I did the job running that our passing game in the first half). would work." Another Denver punt preceded the second Williams-to-Sanders Never in Super Bowl history has anyone made such an honest assessment, Smith carried 22 times for 204 TD pass, the 50-yarder, with 3:42 yards and two touchdowns, breaking Marcus Allen's left. And an interception of Elway record of 191 yards, set in Super Bowl XVIII. by Wilburn at the Washington 21 led to the fifth touchdown, Didier's

That running helped the Redskins open up their passing game enough so that Dong Williams could throw four touchdown passes. After Washington's 42-10 rout of the Denver Broning in the half. The third quarter was scoreless, cos, Williams was voted the game's most valuable

Finally, Smith scored the second touchdown of his NFL career — had confidence he could get the job done." both in Sunday's game — on a four-yard run with 13:09 remaining in the game. "It could easily have gone to Timmy Smith," said Williams. "He is a great runner. He's a guy who doesn't have many fears. He had nothing to lose, and



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# **IOC Will Weigh Plans to Punish Future Boycotters**

Seoul will not be able to bencfit from the Olympic Solidarity program for the period of 1988-92, seeing as they will not have contributed toward raising the funds which we subsequently distribute." It should be a low-key session,

the most controversial issue - the acceptance of top tennis pros for the Scoul tournament - having been dealt with at last year's meeting in Istanbul. Samaranch is likely to try again

in persuade North Korea to compete in Seoul. But the resumption of negotiations is conditional on the North's accepting the IOC's event-sharing proposals made last July, in which North Korea was offered archery, table tennis, wom-en's volleyball, a men's bicycle race and one of the four qualifying soccer groups.

But it will see heavy lobbying of IOC members by the five candidates for the 1994 Winter Games — Anchorage, Alaska; Lausanne, Switzerland; Lillehammer, Norway; Oestersund, Sweden, and Solia.

The world amateur basketball federation (FIBA) has proposed a change in eligibility rules that would open the Olympics to professionals, The Associated Press reported Monday from Frankfurt.

world championships," said Bora Stankovic, FIBA's secretary-general. The change would go into effect after the 1988 Games in Seoul.

FIBA's 31-member board on didn't see the ball coming her way. the putt to save a bogey 5. rules, which will go before a FIBA congress in April 1989. Stankovic onships and the 1992 Olympics.

He said FIBA had talked with No. 11 and Lyle birdied No. 9 with International Olympic Committee Lyle narrowly missed being as- a 12-footer and parred the 10th and officials about the proposal and sessed a two-stroke penalty and birdied the 11th, Lyle took over "they are all for it."

Juan Antonio Samaranch, the "I was moving forward and the IOC president, has led a drive to

The IOC usually follows eligibi-



Greater Greensboro Open as well as the 1987 TPC.

David Frost of South Africa finished third on Sunday at 271. Davis Love, who led the first and third rounds, was fourth at 273.

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When the ball hit her it bounded sank a 25-foot birdie putt at the said that if the congress adopts the away at a right angle, rolling down ninth hole and Love, who again the bank and into the water. Couples had to take a drop and thus a chipped to within 3 feel but missed eligible for the 1990 world champipenalty stroke. He hit his third shot the putt,

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the end, be kind of gave it to me. He a few inches of the hole. was a bit unlucky." Couples de-parted immediately after the play-off without speaking to reporters. Lyle, 29, earned \$117,000 for his third U.S. victory. He won the 1986 Couples and Love, who can hit

long drives few men can match, remained two shots apart as they parred No. 2 and birdied the par-5 third bole with one-put finishes. The first change in their status Pro Basketball Eligibility

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When Love bogeyed No. 10 and to the back of the green, 25 feet from the cup, and missed his par putt.

came close to being disqualified second place. before his round started. He had been on the grounds going through leaders came back to me," Lyle allow more professionals to com-

practice warm-ups, believing he said. "Seven shots dwindled away pete at the Olympics, was to start nine minutes later than quickly. But I'm still surprised, I The IOC usually for

# **ART BUCHWALD Being Fair Is Unfair**

Republicans embittered. Strangely enough, none of them are Bush supporters. While outwardly out-raged at Dan Rather for beating up on their candidate, the Bush people are privately rejoicing at their good

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"Our boy is oo longer a wimp," a

Bush campaign chief told me. "He stared at the toughest an-chorman in television and Rather blinked." S. 2 There seems to he no joy in the other Republican camps. Maoagers of Buchwald Dole, Kemp, Robertson, Haig and Du Pont met in a Pizza Hut in Ames, lowa, last week to discuss the ominous turn in

the primary. п

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"The vice president was am-bushed by CBS," the Haig man said. "This means only one thing. CBS must sandbag our candidates too. We can't let Bush walk away with the anti-media vote just because an anchorman verbally assaulted him oo the evening oews." The Dole manager was even more hitter. "Rather owes it to us

to make our guys look lousy. If he doesn't rough us up, Bush walks into the White House. When it comes to TV dumping on candidates, there is such a thing as equal

Al Haig's aide said, "The thing that gets me mad is not only did Bush go up in the polls because of CBS, but the money is pouring in. It's oot George Bush money but anti-Rather mooey that is flooding his headquarters."

### 'Mario' in Budapest

The Associated Press BUDAPEST - The Budapest Opera's premiere of "Mario and the Magician," an operatic version of Thomas Mann's short novel, received an enthusiastic reception over the weekend. A successful stage version of "Mario and the Magician" here in the 1970s captured the imagination of Hungarian theatergoers, hut a ballet versioo in the 1980s was a failure.

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"George never even answered Rather's question," Pierre du

Pont's man said Kemp's lieutenant replied. "He didn't have to answer the question. All he had to do was sit there and object to Dan's asking it. It was a set-up from start to finish and

we're the losers." Haig's man said, "Rather should have never let Bush go on his television show. After all, how does an anchorman defend himself against a vice president of the United States who stonewalls him right

through the commercials?" "Dan should have known what he was getting into when he tangled with a Yale man," the Kemp representative said.

"Will George do any future in-terviews with Rather?"

"I'm sure of it," the Dole manager said. "I heard Bush is so in love with CBS News that he has offered to fill in for Lesley Stahl when she

goes on vacation." The Haig man slammed his hand onto his pizza. "I say CBS owes us equal time. Dan Rather has to be as rude to us as he was to Bush or we

The Du Pont rep said, "Maybe in place of an interview Dan could moderate a debate and push our candidates when they don't answer his query."

The Kemp aide said, "We'll in voke the uofairness doctrine. Whenever Rather asks our candidates a tough question we'll act wounded."

Dole's aide said, "Senator Dole will go along with it just to bring some sanity to this race."

"We're all assuming that Rather will play along with us. Suppose CBS woo't let him. How do we win the anti-media vote then?"

Dole's man declared, "We'll get Sam Donaldson to yell at us from a meatpacking plant in Pocatello. Idaho.

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By Stephen Holden New York Times Service N Fightened little girl growing up in Jamestown, North Dakota,

Peggy Lee had a childhood obsession: aviation "I wanted to fly so badly," she said. "I knew a barnstormer who was able to pick up a handkerchief with his wing tips at county fairs. He said, 'I'll take you up if you'll dance the Charleston.' I was so shy that I couldn't look at anyone, but I danced the Charleston for him, and he took me up in his bi-wing plane with an open cockpit. I wasn't in the least bit

frightened." The 67-year-old singer and songwriter is in New York for a two-week engagement at the Ballroom. The engagement is being billed as her 50th anniversary in show business, but it is in fact her 53d.

Even today that paradoxical mixture of reticence and audacity that made the shy girl who was christened Norma Dolores Egstrom beg to be whisked into the sky defines the art and the per-sonal style of Lee. With its pastel shadings, Lee's singing communicates an air of perpetual dreaminess. At the same time, she is able

to communicate a subtly powerful and precise rhythmic momentum. Off stage, the singer exudes a

combination of heart-tugging fra-gility and mystical resilience. Lee is still recovering from an acci-dent in Las Vegas last February, Air, California, home. She writes her feet. Ever since, it has been very difficult for her to walk. And

for her Ballroom engagement, she Holiday," she explained. "Al-will sing seated. Two years before though that is a great complithe accident, Lee underwent double-bypass heart surgery. But Lee shrugs off her troubles, exacerbated by diabetes. "I was

strong all through my childhood," she said. "It was when I started going on the road and overloading my schedule that my troubles редап.

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enses the indomitable spirit of a good music. North Dakota farm girl who, 46 years after she first visited New lar singer until a little later when I York, is still overawed by the heard Maxine Sullivan. I liked the

simplicity and economy of her city's skyscrapers. It was while I was writing this work. She communicated so well book that it finally dawned on me that you really got the point right where my musical style came away. Later, when I came to New book that it finally dawned on me that you really got the point right years. It was her sulky, tough rea-where my musical style came away. Later, when I came to New dition of "Why Don't Yon Do from," she said, gesturing to sev-York. Mel Powell — Benny Right?," a song recorded two

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Today Lee pays only fleeting attention to the contemporary music scene. Among rock genera-tion songwriters, she especially admires Paul McCartney, who wrote a song for her, "Let's Love," in the 1970s.

"Once I enter the world of a song, it never gets old. I have no sense of time except swing time."

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completed first draft of an autobi-

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That year she also married the guitarist Dave Barbour, who became her songwriting collabora-tor on late-1940s hits like "I Don't

of Lee's recording career left her with at least one signature song. "Why Don't You Do Right?" established her as a first-rank band singer. The sizzlingly percussive oovelty "Manaoa (Is Soon Enough For Me)" became her biggest hit and began her long association with Latin-flavored music. Her swirling, stampeding 1952 version of "Lover," with its rhythms that seemed to cascade

mically inventive and versatile vocalists. In 1969, "Is That All 22-year-old black marial aris in-There Is" lannched what might be structor and a 20-year-old white called the most recent, "philosophic" phase of a career during which Lee has projected onto her material the mystique of a great, fading courtesan.

Io addition to working on her autobiography. Lee continues to record and write songs. Mike Nichols recently hired her to record "How High the Moon," to be used under the titles of the movie of "Biloxi Blues." And she has plans to record four albums for two different record companies, including one live at the Ballroom. One of the others will conceptrate oo vintage hlues songs of the Bessie Smith era. Lee, who has never stopped writing songs, has collaborated with a oumber of writers over the years. Her characteristic lyrics of late have a wistfully upbeat philosophic tone. "A Circle in the Sky." one recent song she may perform at the Ballroom, evokes a simple, mystical image of eternal

I heard the wind that rushes by And still our love remains.

Among her own songs, Lee harbors a special affection for "John-Guitar," the theme song of the 50s movie, with music by Victor Young. Her favorite among her 59 albums is "The Man I Love" (1957). Orchestrated by the late Nelson Riddle and conducted by tion of the Jerome Kern-Oscar Hammerstein chestnut, "The mestic hliss into a hushed prayer

done hundreds of times before. Doesn't she ever find that they feel stale?

always find oew meanings and impressioos," she explained, "Finding the impressions to fit each song is like preparing for a role. But once I enter the world of a song, it never gets old." Lee smiled slyly. "I really have

no sense of time except swing time," she said. Ever so gently, she began nodding and snapping. her fingers.

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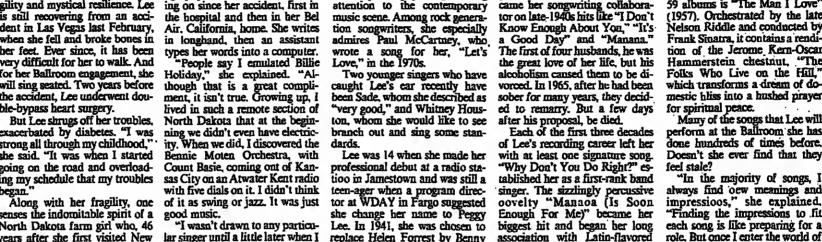
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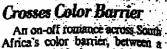
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# Singer Peggy Lee, 67 and Still Swinging



